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In Today's Townsmen



25 Years Of Service

Dr. Bill O'Reilly chose Andover for his pediatric practice and has given 25 years of service to children of the area and the community.

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There'll Be New Faces

There will be some new members on town boards following this year's annual town election.

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Town Meeting Air Reigns At Arena Gift Discussion

By Sue Aucella Deacon

An almost town meeting-sized crowd turned out before the Board of Selectmen Monday night to protest one article that appears on the annual town meeting warrant: an article that would let the Ristuccia family of Andover build a \$3 million hockey rink/recreation center as a gift to the town.

The warrant article names three possible sites for the proposed center — and at least two of them will be dropped from the article before town meeting convenes on April 1, according to the town manager.

But approximately 250 residents appeared before the selectmen in Memorial Hall Auditorium Monday to speak against the possible choice of just one site, a 113-acre Cross Street parcel that has been reserved as the potential site of a future school building.

During a 45-minute, often fervent discussion, the selectmen and Town Manager Kenneth Mahony emphasized repeatedly that the Ristuccia proposal is far from solid, and that the warrant article could be changed or withdrawn before the annual meeting.

Late in the meeting, the manager commented that he does not believe the recreation center will be built in Andover at all.

The official stressed, too, that the final decision will be made by a majority of at least 350 voters (the number required for a quorum) at town meeting.

The townspeople, however, maintained that the hockey rink article should not appear on the warrant at all — and they have inserted a private article of their own that would preserve the Cross Street parcel as permanent conservation land.

Last month, the family of the late Elinor Ristuccia, a long-time resident of Andover, offered to build the town a recreation center, including a hockey rink, seating up to 7,000 people. The center would be built in Mrs. Ristuccia's memory.

According to Selectmen Chairman Donn Byrne, town officials decided they would not be interested in a center seating more than 3,500.

The Cross Street site, which is controlled by the School Committee, appeared to be a likely choice, Byrne said. That 113-acre site has 96 buildable acres (the rest are wetlands), and only 25 would be needed for a school — leaving more than enough acreage for a 3,500-seat recreation center, which, Byrne said, would require about 20 acres.

However, the West Andover site (Cross Street runs from High Plain Road, almost midway between Haggetts Pond Road and Route 495, to River Road) was only one of several to be considered, the chairman said, as the town manager discussed the proposal with the Ristuccias.

Town meeting could be asked to transfer the Cross Street parcel from school control to the town, to permit the center

to be built. The two other sites currently included in the warrant article are located on Shawsheen Road, behind Andover High School; and at a former gravel pit off Porter Road, near Recreation Park.

By the time town meeting rolls around, the town manager said, "one or none" of those sites may be included on the warrant.

Donald Barber of Brady Loop, speaking for the newly-formed West Andover Neighborhood Association, told the selectmen the recreation center does not belong in West Andover — nor at Andover High, Sanborn School or South School — "no matter how noble the cause."

The neighborhood group wanted the town-sponsored article removed from the warrant, Barber said, and had inserted their own article, which would preserve the site as undeveloped conservation land.

Barber cited a number of problems with the Cross Street site: It is part of the Fish Brook watershed area, for example, and more than three miles from the nearest fire station, he said.

Julie Hastings Brzek of High Plain Road said that although her family is "very sports-minded," she also opposed the center, because it would expose area

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Graduation Policy Discussed

By Susan Rand

Andover High School seniors and members of the school administration talked about their expectations and disappointments in future and past Andover High graduations at the committee's Tuesday evening meeting.

The three girls and five boys, members of the Student Council's Student Advisory Committee, and class officers told the committee they had talked with students about ways to have more control of the graduation session. A number of regulations were put forth but the committee told the students they didn't want to see how many rules and regulations they could create. Instead, said Chairman Donald W. Robb, they wanted to talk with the students about some of the more philosophical issues of the graduation ceremony.

"What does graduation mean to students," asked Robb. "And what would you like to have it mean?"

Board member Michael R. Giammusso told the students graduation was a special time not only for students, but for parents and grandparents too.

"It is not our intent to have some kind of 'police state' graduation," stressed Giammusso. "It is an annual celebration but I feel it should be a celebration with respect without tossing respect out the window. We want to make it better but we don't want to do it with clubs."

Assistant Superintendent for secondary education Leslie Loomis told THE TOWNSMAN it was Superintendent Kenneth R. Seifert's idea to invite the students to the meeting. And, Loomis said, he thinks the result of Tuesday's dis-

cussion may be a graduation planning group composed of student representatives, some of their parents, administrators and faculty members who will work together to plan the annual rite. Progress reports on the graduation planning

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hill is an honor graduate of New York University, holding the bachelor's and master's degree in Civil Engineering-Sanitary option. He has had many years of experience in water and waste treatment with two prominent equipment manufacturers and several consulting engineering firms, including Sheppard T. Powell and Assoc. of Baltimore and Camp Dresser & McKee of Boston. Barnhill is a regis-

tered professional engineer in 22 states, including five of the six New England states, and is a Diplomate of the American Academy of Environmental Engineers.

Barclay celebrated its 50th year of incorporation in 1982. It is a long-time member and supporter of the aims of SBANE, the Smaller Business Association of New England.

St. Robert's School To Register

St. Robert's Country Day School will hold registration for September 1985 classes on Thursday, Jan. 17, at 9 a.m. in the school hall. A new format for registration will be followed. The school is an Office for Children approved nursery school and is celebrating its 15th year of operation this month. For further information about the school's three programs, Mini Nursery for three year olds (by August 31, 1985), Regular Nursery for four year olds (by August 31, 1985) and Maxi Nursery for five year olds (by February 26, 1986), contact Joyce Rawlinson, school registrar.



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Town House Topics

The Duck Is Eased Out By Rembrandt

The Duck of Andover finally landed Monday night, when it handed over its liquor license to a new corporation with the Board of Selectmen's approval.

The selectmen approved the transfer of an all-alcoholic beverage license from The Duck of Andover to a corporation representing the new name for the Elm Street restaurant, Rembrandt's Restaurant, Inc.

Although The Duck was the working name for the restaurant during licensing procedures, it opened last month as Rembrandt's. Mita Teding van Berkhout of Winchester, who owns the restaurant along with her husband, was named as manager.

Also Monday night, the board approved the transfer of all shares of stock held by Johnenasy, Inc., which

runs the Andover Inn on Chapel Avenue, to Henry P.J. Broekhoff of Windham, N.H. Broekhoff will manage the inn.

The board also approved a one-day all-alcoholic license for the Christian Formation Center, 475 River Road, for 5 p.m. to midnight Jan. 13.

In addition, the selectmen granted the Knights of Columbus, Osgood Street, a license for a juke box, to be operated during regular hours on week days only. George Nangle is manager of the K. of C.

And finally, the board granted Kenneth Hudson, Inc., of Hudson Bus Lines, Medford, a license to transport passengers for hire over a route that passes through Andover along Lowell Street, Interstate 93, and at the Andover/Tewksbury town line.

Special Session To Deal With Town Warrant

The Board of Selectmen will convene for a special meeting at 7 p.m. next Monday, Jan. 14, at town offices on Bartlet Street to work on the warrant for annual town meeting.

The only business on the agenda will be the insertion of warrant articles, according to Chairman Donn Byrne.

The warrant for the spring meeting closed Monday afternoon, Jan. 7.

The selectmen must now vote on whether to insert town-sponsored (not privately-sponsored) articles on the warrant for voters' consideration.

Byrne emphasized that the selectmen will not be taking positions on any articles next week, but will simply decide whether articles will appear on the warrant.

The annual meeting is scheduled to convene Monday night, April 1.

Tucker To Meet With Citizens This Saturday

State Representative Sue Tucker of Andover will be available to meet with citizens this Saturday, Jan. 12, on the second floor of Memorial Hall Library.

The session, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, will give citizens the opportunity to meet with Tucker on an individual, in-person basis to discuss

problems, seek advice or offer opinions on current issues. No appointment is necessary.

Persons unable to attend can contact Tucker's office at any time: State Representative Sue Tucker, State House, Room 167, Boston, MA 02133, telephone number 722-2692.

Additional Staff Is Needed

The Shawsheen Extended Day (SHED) program is looking for additional part-time and full-time staff. Hours of coverage needed has not been exactly determined. Anyone in-

terested in substitute teaching, covering lunch hours or other times may fill out an application at the Department of Community Services. Education or experience in early childhood programs preferred.

Breakfast

West Elementary PTO will hold their annual pancake breakfast, Saturday, Jan. 12. Seatings will be at 8, 9 and 10 a.m. Reservations may be made at the school.

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Tuesday, Jan. 1, 7:46 p.m. — Lowell Street at Haggetts Pond Road; 10:17 p.m. — Andover Street; 8:32 p.m. — Beacon Street; 9:45 p.m. — Central Street.

Wednesday, Jan. 2, 8:48 a.m. — Crescent Drive; 10:51 a.m. — Nicoll Drive; 7:31 p.m. — Chandler Road and Rt. 495; 8:34 p.m. — Lowell Junction Road.

Friday, Jan. 4, 5:56 p.m. — Beacon Street.

Saturday, Jan. 5, 8:06 a.m. — Lowell Street near Haggetts Pond Road; 9:24 a.m. — Barnard and Main Streets; 3:11 p.m. — Andover Street.

Arrests

Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2:41 a.m. — Edgardo Lebron, 20, Lawrence, operating while intoxicated and failure to keep to the right; 3:09 a.m. — Jose A. Mercado, 20, Lowell, warrant from Andover Police; 3:26 p.m. — Kathleen A. Powers, 22, 328 Salem St., Andover, operating while intoxicated; 3:38 a.m. — Mark A. Connolly, 19, 66 High St., Andover, disorderly person.

Saturday, Jan. 5, 10:35 p.m. — Richard W. Cairns Jr., 18, Wilmington, warrant from Andover Police.

Sunday, Jan. 6, 12:45 a.m. — John T. Finnegan, 33, Hyannis, operating while intoxicated, no tail lights on auto and failure to keep to the right.

Monday, Jan. 7, 8:53 p.m. — Richard F. Seymour III, 35, Billerica, operating while intoxicated.

Spice Up Rice

You can spice up rice by substituting chicken or beef broth for the water or try a fruit juice for half the water. Stir in some slivered almonds, bacon bits or minced fruits or vegetables.

Breaks

Tuesday, Jan. 1, 4:25 a.m. — Vehicle entered, 187 Woburn St..

Wednesday, Jan. 2, 7:38 a.m. and 10:08 a.m. — Vehicles entered, 16 Balmoral St.

Friday, Jan. 4, 4:39 p.m. — House entered, 81 River St.

Monday, Jan. 7, 7:81 a.m. — Break, construction site on Old River Road.

Stolen Cars

Monday, Jan. 7, 12:18 a.m. — Auto stolen from 16 Balmoral St.

Thefts

Wednesday, Jan. 2, 11:10 a.m. — Watch stolen from Sheraton Rolling Green Health Center, Lowell Street; 8:13 p.m. — Silver stolen, 43 Salem St.

Sunday, Jan. 6, 8:22 a.m. — Theft from auto, 10 Crescent Drive.

Monday, Jan. 7, 8:41 a.m. — Generator stolen from house, 22 Arthur Road.

Vandalism

Wednesday, Jan. 2, 10:10 a.m. — 24 Birch Road.

Thursday, Jan. 3, 11:31 a.m. — Contracting equipment damaged, River Road.

Friday, Jan. 4, 3:22 p.m. — Damage to front of store, King's Sub, Bartlett Street.

Saturday, Jan. 5, 1:38 p.m. — Mailboxes damaged on Lovejoy Road.

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Award Winners

West Elementary PTO recently conducted a fund-raiser providing Country Kitchen treats. Students who were top sellers in each grade level were given gift certificates. Pictured, from left, back row, Jackie Rizzo, Principal Jack Coyle, Lisa Famiglietti, Linda Carr, Toni Rollins, Mary Ann Kline, Diana Gould, Charles Friese; second row, Jennifer Daybar, Kathleen Burke, Ian Timmons, Melanie LeFebvre; front row, Courtney Famiglietti, Jesse Myers, Kimberly Young and Katrina Riker, first grader who was the top salesman in the school.

Doherty Junior High

By Amy Mencis and Kyle Murphy

Basketball cheerleading tryouts were held before vacation. The cheerleading squad includes Beth Vince, captain, Nancy Walsh, captain, Lindsey Curley, Tara Swift, Michele Meli, Melissa Yost, Alana Tarro, Nicole Grillo, Beth Schwedler and Cindy Sherri.

The girls' basketball team lost their first game against Methuen 41-36. Solid playing was shown by Lisa Fossella, Julie Enos, Stephanie Aumais, Julie Salazar and Katie Hollenbeck. The girls won their second basketball game against Haverhill 39-27. Excellent defense was played by the whole team.

The boys' basketball team started off against real tough competition, Central Catholic, who outscored Doherty twice. The game against Methuen was close until the last period when Methuen pulled out the win.

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A parody skit was presented of the "Night Before Christmas," complete with Santa's sleigh, reindeer and, of course, the old gent himself bearing gifts. The children had made Christmas ornaments which they presented to each of the day care participants.

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Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Zamierowski of Andover were named Players of the Month in two classes of competition at Dawson's Bridge Studio for November. Such a double sweep is rare, according to studio directors Dennis and Jackie Dawson, when they announced the results this week.

Zamierowski, called "Jiggs" by his friends, was named Player of the Month in the Open competition, the class which is open to all players and which usually attracts the most experienced participants, while his wife, Barbara, topped the 99ers division, the level of play for those with less than 100 master points in duplicate bridge competition.

Former New Jersey residents, the Zamierowskis commented that the Dawson Studio in Reading, where they have been playing since moving here a year ago, "is very professionally run" compared to the clubs at which they played in New Jersey. Zamierowski has been playing bridge for many years and has been teaching his wife, who took up the game about three years ago. They also play tennis and are avid skiers.

Open House

The Free Church Co-Op Pre-school will conduct an open house for prospective parents Wednesday, Jan. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at Free Christian Church, 31 Elm St., Andover.

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Shown on Wednesdays at noon and at 7:30 p.m. at the 97 Main St. museum, the series begins January 16 and runs through February 6. Snow dates are the following Thursdays, Jan. 17-Feb. 7. Call the society office for reservations; unreserved seats will be filled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

January 16 features two half-hour films, "The Cooper's Craft" and "The Hammerman in Williamsburg." Gunsmithing, musical instrument making and silversmithing films complete the series.

In order to revive the craft of coopering (barrel-making) in Williamsburg, the great London brewer, Whitbread & Company, made it possible for one of their master coopers, George Pettengell, to spend several months in 1966 teaching his skills to Williamsburg craftsmen. This film puts

the master cooper in colonial costume, provides him with a journeyman helper and a rustic setting and recreates some understanding of the era. Pettengell uses tools handed down from generation to generation within his own family.

In the 17th and 18th centuries, coopering was one of the largest and most important crafts in the colonies. Most commodities, such as beer, cider, flour, butter, tar, turpentine and tobacco, were shipped in casks. Coopers worked inland and in the port towns, making not only casks of various sizes (barrel, hoghead, pipe), but also butter churns, buckets, bathing tubs, etc.

The second film, "Hammerman in Williamsburg," illustrates another essential tradesman in the colonial era. Tools and firearms had to be kept in order and iron work was needed for houses and boats. Many farms had their own blacksmith shops operated by the farmer himself. In many cases the smith performed work for his neighbors as well.

In this film a farmer's son arrives at the blacksmith's where he sees the tools and techniques of replacing his broken chain link. He watches numerous other items being made and observes the blacksmith's role in community life.

The Andover Historical Society is a non-profit, educational institution open to members and the public. For information on open hours, exhibitions, tours, special events and membership, call the society office Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Open House

Community Cooperative Nursery School, located at the North Parish Unitarian Church, 180 Academy Road, North Andover, will conduct an open house tonight at 8 o'clock. An introduction and orientation to the school will be given as well as a slide presentation.

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Classes begin in Andover on January 28 on Mondays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. for eight weeks through the DCS and on Thursdays at the senior center from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Classes are available through the vocational school on Monday and/or Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. or from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays, beginning January 14.

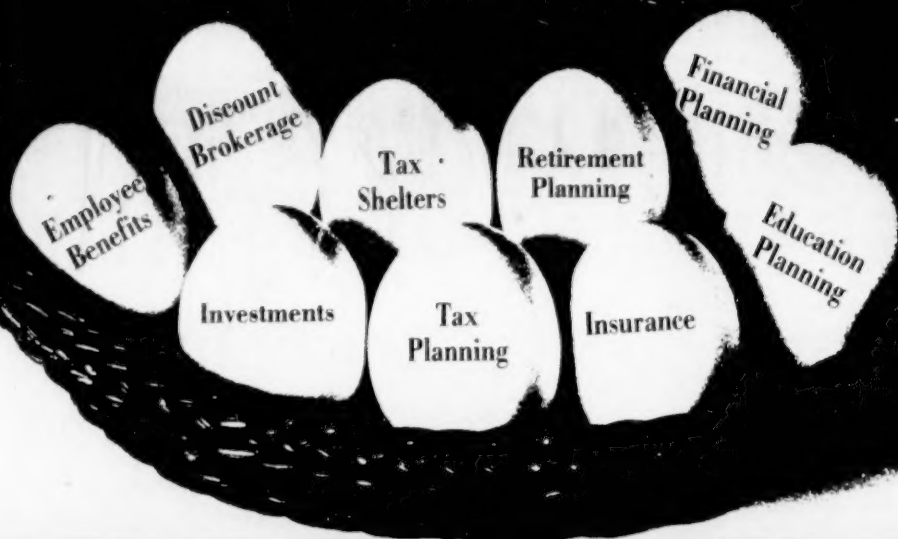
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Film Strip Featured

The Andover-North Andover Chapter of the Massachusetts Association of Children with Learning Disabilities is having its third meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 8, at the home of Jan and Robert Ulrich, 55 Best Way, North Andover, at 7:30 p.m. Contact Linda C. Downer for more information.

The film strip "Everybody has a Song" will be shown. Henry Winkler spends some time in a class of learning disabled children and Nelson A. Rockefeller shares his personal knowledge of how to cope with dyslexia.

Beginning February 5, Andover-North Andover M.A.C.L.D. will meet at the Stevens Hall Convalescent Nursing Home, 75 Park St., North Andover, on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

Linda Wroble, clinical psychologist of Wakefield, and Nancy Conley, M.Ed. of The Learning Connection, Tewksbury, will speak on "Pre and Post Assessment on February 5 and a speaker from the Children's Federation of Boston will present a speaker on March 5. Nancy Conley is directing the program.

BABY TALK



by Jack Resnick

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DCS Sets Winter, Spring Program

The Department of Community Services Winter/Spring Program booklet was mailed to Andover homes this week. New residents who may not receive one may pick up a booklet at the DCS office in Town Offices on Bartlet Street. The booklet describes the wide variety of programs offered.

Registration will be held Wednesday, Jan. 16, from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Doherty Junior High Auditorium and will continue each day at the DCS office from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. until classes begin. Among the newer programs are:

Monday: Basic Mixology, a five-week course held in the senior center on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Home Video, a five-week course designed for owners and future owners of home video tape machines, will be held at the high school from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Introduction to Tae Kwo Do for grades 7-12 will teach the beginner the principal moves of basic self-defense. The eight-week course will be taught at the high school on Mondays from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Vina Patel will teach basic macrame at Doherty Junior High School, beginning April 8, for five weeks from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Joyce Heinlein will teach Machine Embroidery, beginning February 25, from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at Doherty Junior High School for five weeks.

Tuesday: Bruce Gerry ("Dr. Tune-Up") will teach Basic Auto Understanding at the high school from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Retirement—Myth and Reality is a seminar examining social and financial concerns facing people entering retirement age. This three-week course will be held at the high school from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Introduction to Meditation will be taught at the senior center for eight weeks from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. The course will include meditation techniques, experiences and levels of consciousness.

Wednesday: Irene Change will teach the proper techniques of using cooking utensils and Chinese ingredients in a beginning Chinese cooking course at Doherty Junior High School for eight weeks from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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A new S.A.T. preparation workshop will be offered high school students on Exponents and Radicals on Wednesday, March 13, at the high school from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Thursday: I've Got the Power is a five-week course for high school juniors and

seniors that will look at making decisions about their future. Topics include interests, values, priorities, college majors, careers and others. The course will meet at the high school beginning March 7 from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Create a beautiful spring wreath with ribbons in Karen Sullivan's two-week Ribbon Wreath course, beginning March 28, at the high school from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Introduction to Tae Kwo Do for students in grades 3-6 will be taught at Sanborn from 3:15 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

An eight-week introductory course in the basics of ballet and jazz will be held in several sections at Shawsheen School: Ages 5-6 at 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.; Grades 1-3 from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Grades 4-6 from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Learn skin care, makeup and hair styling techniques in the five week New You Workshop at Doherty Junior High School from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Elizabeth Sarracino will teach the art of Ukrainian egg decorating in a two-week Ukrainian Egg workshop, beginning March at the high school from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Wholistic Stress Management, a course dealing with the control of excess stress, will be held at the senior center for four weeks from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

An introductory course in jazz dance for adults will be held at Bancroft for eight weeks from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Another session will begin April 25.

Jazz Dance for beginners, for students in grades 7-12, will be held for eight weeks at Bancroft from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Another session will begin April 25.

Friday: In addition to her ballroom dancing courses, Kay Marsan will teach two five-week mini-courses, one in swing and one in Latin dances. Both will be held at Sanborn beginning May 10: swing from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Latin dances from 8:30 to 10 p.m.

One-time workshops, listed below, will also be offered. Further details and workshop descriptions can be found in the Winter/Spring Program booklet.

Cross Country Ski Clinic, Saturday, Jan. 6; **Marketing Your Craft or Product**, Monday, Jan. 28; **Bread Baking Sampler**, Saturday, Feb. 2; **Machine Monogramming**, Monday, Feb. 4; **The Payoff for Homesellers, Dwellers and Would-be Buyers**, Monday, Feb. 4; **Basic Broth I**, Tuesday, Feb. 25; **Basic Broth II**, Tuesday, March 5; **Tempting Teens with Good Nutrition**, Grades 6-8, Saturday, March 16; **Easter Bunny Workshop**, Wednesday, March 20; **Spring Wreath Workshop**, Wednesday, April 24; **Basic Black**, Monday, April 29; **May Basket**, Wednesday, May 1.

For further information, contact the Department of Community Services, Town Offices, Bartlet Street.

DCS Plans Special Events, Programs

The Department of Community Services will offer special events, in addition to their schedule of courses and workshops, as part of their winter/spring program. Specific information is available in the DCS Winter/Spring Program booklet, which was mailed to Andover homes this week.

Special events are listed below by date. Registration is at the DCS office, Town Offices, Bartlet Street. Specific dates and deadlines can be found in the DCS booklet:

Crotched Mountain Ski Trip, Tuesday, Jan. 15; **Muppets on Ice**, Saturday, Jan. 26; **Museum of Science**, Sunday, Feb. 3; **Loon Mountain Ski Trip**, Tuesday, Feb. 19; **Floor Hockey Tournament**, February 19-23; **Disney's Magic Kingdom on Ice**, Thursday, Feb. 21; **Cross Country Ski Race**, Sunday, Feb. 24; **Theatre trip to "Zorba"**, Wednesday, Feb. 27; **Newport Jai Alai**, details available in March; **Wildcat Weekend Ski Trip**, March 8-10; **Flower Show**, Sunday, March 10; **Gymnastics Meet**, Saturday, March 16; **Volley-**

ball Tournament, March 26-28; **Tips for Safe Drinking**, Wednesday, April 17; **Fall River Shopping Spree**, Saturday, April 27; **Kite Flying Contest**, Sunday, April 28; **Prom Night: Having Fun and Staying Safe**, Monday, April 29; **Annual Spring Exhibit and Crafts-In-The Park**, Saturday, May 11; **Children's Museum**, Sunday, May 19; **Tennis Tournament**, Tuesday, May 28.

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George Stiles, president of the career re-directions division of Hurst Associates, a consulting firm for business, will present strategies for planning and implementing the job search campaign. He has more than 15 years in hu-

man resources management and has written a book on the subject of implementing the job search. Stiles will cover such topics as establishing a meaningful and achievable objective, reaching goals, identifying marketable skills, writing the resume, and maintaining a positive attitude throughout the job search. Much of what he has to say applies to those new to the job market as well as those involved in changing careers.

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Prof. Patricia Hennessey of the Merrimack College English department will teach the course which ends May 6. Hennessey holds a master's degree in English from the University of Hartford and has taught English as a second language at Merrimack and at schools in Canada.

The course is limited to 15 students. The cost includes books and materials.

More information is available from the Division of Continuing Education, Merrimack College, O'Reilly Hall, Room 209, North Andover, MA 01845.

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A Silver Anniversary Of Service To Children, Community

By Sue Aucella Deacon

Young Dr. William O'Reilly, a Lawrence native, decided that he'd like to bring up his small children and practice pediatrics in "the suburbs." He chose Andover.

Andover had no full-time pediatrician, the doctor recalls, and that helped him make up his mind to open his new practice in the town next door. He felt reassured when a dozen people called to make appointments during his first day in his office at 166 North Main St. — he believed then that he would succeed in Andover.

He was right. It's been more than 25 years since Dr. O'Reilly opened his pediatrics practice on Aug. 3, 1959. He has never been in private practice anywhere but Andover. He still works in the same North Main Street office, just as he lives in the same Central Street house that he moved into with his family 25 years ago.

In the past quarter-century, Dr. O'Reilly has distinguished himself in many ways: as president of the medical staff at both Lawrence General and Bon Secours hospitals, as chief of pediatrics at Lawrence General, as a member of the town's Board of Health, as an active member of St. Augustine's parish, as a volunteer serving youth athletic leagues. He has been honored by the Andover Police and Fire departments, by Merrimack College, by the March of Dimes.

Still, he is best-known and perhaps best-loved as the doctor who has seen "thousands upon thousands" of Andover youngsters grow up healthy and strong. "We've run out of space in the office for records," Alice O'Reilly points out; she is the doctor's wife, as well as his receptionist and business manager.

After 25 years, former patients ("I call them my graduates") are returning to the doctor with new patients — their own children. "I think that's what we've enjoyed the most," Mrs. O'Reilly says, "that kids we've watched grow up are coming back with their children. And there are a lot of them now."

Dr. O'Reilly is gray-haired, tall and trim, energetic. His manner is straightforward but warm, and he's generous with his smile. Throughout a long conversation he perches, half-standing, on the edge of a table, ready to fly.

He grew up in Lawrence, graduating from Lawrence High School in 1944. He went on to earn his undergraduate degree, cum laude, from Boston College in 1950, and his M.D. from Georgetown University School of Medicine in 1954.

The new doctor served a one-year internship at Jefferson Medical College Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa., followed by a one-year residency in pediatrics at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington, D.C. From 1956 to 1959, he was senior resident in pediatrics, then chief resident in pediatrics, and finally a fellow in adolescent medicine at Children's Hospital National Medical Center in Washington, D.C.

When did Bill O'Reilly decide to be-

come a doctor? "I think perhaps somewhere around the fifth grade," he says, "I started thinking about medicine." That interest was "nurtured" during a year-long stint in the Navy during World War II, 1945-1946, when he served as a pharmacist's mate and worked in hospitals.

And why pediatrics? "I like children." He shrugs, and smiles.

By the time Dr. O'Reilly became Andover's first full-time pediatrician, he was married to the former Alice Doyle and raising children of his own. (Today William, Jr., 29, is an attorney who lives in Andover with his wife, Debra; Mary Jo O'Reilly Smith, 27, lives in Andover with her husband, J. Alford Smith, and their children, Alyssa and Courtney; and Christopher, 20, is a sophomore at Boston College who, his father says, is still recovering from the Cotton Bowl.)

Busy "right from the start," Dr. O'Reilly's practice has "never let down," he says. "It's as busy now as it was twenty-five years ago." Another constant is Irene Normand, R.N., who's been a part of the doctor's staff from the beginning and has never missed a day's work, he says. ("He's an easy guy to work for," Mrs. O'Reilly offers, grinning.)

He spends most of his time in his office (where he believes he is the longest-run-

ning tenant in the complex), working to prevent children's health problems; monitoring their physical, emotional and intellectual development; treating childhood diseases; and offering routine immunizations. Routinely, his patients see him five or six times a year during their first year of life, twice a year in their second year, and once a year after that.

Children of the eighties are "a lot more sophisticated and worldly" than were their counterparts some 25 years ago, the doctor says. "But their behavior is the same, from time immemorial," he adds. Adolescence in particular is and always has been "a time of crisis for every child and every family," he notes.

Parents, too, have changed: Now it seems that more and more married couples choose to separate, he says, "when the first crisis appears. That's been pretty noticeable during the last few years, and very distressing to us."

Dr. O'Reilly has always enjoyed "a nice relationship" with his young patients, "at all ages. I can converse with them." Beyond the "docile" infant stage, children are usually "fearful" in a doctor's office, he says, and he tries to comfort them with honesty.

"Being honest with children is very important. If getting a needle is going to hurt, I tell them what I'm going to do, that there will be a little pain. When

you're honest with them, they appreciate it."

It is, in turn, their honesty that helps endear children to Dr. O'Reilly. "They are right to the point," he says, laughing. "There's no beating around the bush. And their innocence — there are great lessons to be learned from them sometimes. Childlike innocence is a joy to behold."

Just working with children has been the highlight of his career, he says: "Watching someone grow from birth to adolescence, and on to young manhood or womanhood. I sort of get a vicarious thrill seeing their accomplishments as students, athletes, young mothers and fathers."

But his work sometimes brings with it great pain as well. It is most difficult to deal with the death of a child, he says; when one of his patients is seriously ill, it affects the doctor deeply, Mrs. O'Reilly adds.

The O'Reillys lost a daughter, Judy, at the age of two, and Dr. O'Reilly says that tragedy left him with more empathy for the parents of his patients. "You can learn from that kind of adversity," he says. "I became more understanding after that. It made it easier for me to communicate with parents, because I had

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Dr. William O'Reilly

Dr. O'Reilly

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had the same experience."

After 25 years, practicing medicine still "fascinates" the pediatrician. "My interest and intensity of interest in pediatrics certainly has stayed the same. It's never boring. That's the fascinating part about medicine in general and pediatrics in particular — there are so many changes, so many advances in medicine, that it can't be boring if you keep up with it," he explains. "It demands continual study, and I like being a student — I enjoy it."

He is a man who enjoys many things — playing piano, reading, writing song lyrics, "puttering around the house" — and, perhaps above all, offering his services to any and all who might need them.

The doctor served six years, 1971-1977, on the Board of Health; he has donated his time in various capacities to Andover's Little League, junior football league, Babe Ruth baseball, Boy Scouts, ABC program, Red Cross, Visiting Nurses Association, and the local chapter of the Massachusetts Heart Association — among many other local organizations.

The walls above the piano in his family room are decorated with mementoes and honors awarded to Dr. O'Reilly over the years: the March of Dimes Merrimack Valley Chapter Humanitarian of the Year award (1978); an honorary degree as doctor of humane letters from Merrimack College (1979); a 1984 award from the Kiwanis Club.

But no awards have meant more to him than his honorary membership in both the Andover Police and Fire departments, bestowed upon him in 1968. "I consider that a very, very high honor," he says, "because they are the greatest group in the world."

Dr. O'Reilly's police scanner led him

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Computer Science Course Set

A new Bachelor of Science degree in computer science and information sciences will be offered at Merrimack College.

In announcing the new program, Rev. John E. Deegan, O.S.A., president of Merrimack, said the new degree will be offered through the college's division of continuing education which will expand its course offerings in computer hardware, software and systems over the spring and fall semesters of 1985.

The new bachelor's degree in computer and information sciences requires students to take courses in Fortran, Pascal and assembly languages, logic design, data structures, operating systems, compilers and computer architecture. Five upper-level elective courses in computer hardware, software applications, systems design and development, as well as advanced mathematics courses, tailor the program to the student's needs and specialization.

Merrimack also offers mathematics and physical science courses providing the conceptual framework for computer scientists. Studies in electrical engineering, mechanical engineering and business administration provide the computer scientist with an understanding of the working environment in which computers are used.

The division of continuing education teaching faculty includes professionals from Bell Laboratories, Digital Equipment Corporation, Wang Laboratories, Prime Computers, Honeywell and other high technology development and consulting firms.

"These professionals in the field bring out-

standing academic and professional backgrounds to the college," noted Justine F. Juarez, dean of the division of continuing education. "With their professional competence and confidence, they prepare students for challenging futures in this most competitive and constantly-changing field."

Classes are scheduled in the evening and on weekends to fit the working schedules of the adult student. Alan Gould, the new program's academic advisor, is available to meet with and counsel students during the evening.

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Rink

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children to dangerous traffic.

Brzek said she currently drives her son to a Tewksbury hockey clinic because it is more convenient than an Andover clinic offered at Phillips Academy — and she would rather continue to "drive way over to Phillips Academy or Tewksbury" than see "such a large, commercial-type facility" built on Cross Street.

Warren Kearn of High Plain Road told the selectmen the parcel "should be saved for a school in the future," the use originally intended for the land. "If they want to play hockey, they've got the Frost Arena and other arenas that seem to be going out of business," he said, to loud applause.

According to Laura Martin of Cross Street, there is "no real need" for the center, which she said "won't serve the town" and would inevitably "become commercial" because it would be built "in the name of one person." Andover would do better to locate the rink at the high school, she said — or to build a swimming pool instead of a hockey rink.

Robert Merrill of Cross Street said the article should be removed from the warrant while town officials give it further study.

And Arthur Pierson of Robandy Road (who pointed out that he lives across town from West Andover) said it would be a "bad precedent" to allow a "commercial enterprise" in a residential area. If the center were to be located in another area, "where a commercial enterprise should be, all my objections would go away," Pierson said.

One resident spoke in favor of the recreation center. Grover Nix of Central Street, president of the Andover Hockey Association, said, "There is a very large group of people in town who actually support this proposal."

The association had taken no formal position on the proposal and had no opinion at this time about where the center should be located, Nix said, but about 200 families in the group have shown "very strong enthusiasm" for the Ristuccia plan.

Wesley Carter of Brady Loop responded that "there are more than 200 families in West Andover, and we certainly don't want this thing in our backyard."

Chairman Byrne told the crowd the proposal has been surrounded by "misconceptions" — chief among them that the selectmen want to build "Boston Garden North" in West Andover.

The Ristuccia rink would not be commercial, but a "non-profit operation," Byrne said. The town manager added that town officials want the proposed center to be "self-supporting," which would mean limiting its size to 2,000 to 3,000 seats, rather than the 7,000 seats the Ristuccias originally had in mind.

The article was inserted on the warrant to make the Monday deadline for insertions, the chairman said, but is still "in the discussion stage — it is not cast in concrete. The article could be amended or withdrawn."

Selectman Gerald Silverman noted that the board has only sketchy information about the Ristuccia plan at this point — and therefore had little information to offer townspeople. "There is no arena," he said. "There are no numbers, there are no plans, there are no drawings. This is just a proposal."

Mahony said he is currently evaluating three or four sites, and has found "serious problems" with the Cross Street site: inadequate roads, a poor drainage system, lack of sewer service.

"We're not really interested in that parcel anymore," he said near the end of the board meeting, after most of the West Andover residents had left. "We

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1985 Symposium Opens At Andover

"The Americas: A Dialogue North and South," the Headmaster's Symposium at Phillips Academy dealing with the relationship between the United States and Latin America, opens this weekend at the Addison Gallery. Two exhibitions with an opening reception on Friday, Jan. 11, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and a dance performance will formally launch the series of events to continue over the next several weeks. All events are open to the public. An admission fee is required for the dance performance Friday and Saturday; all other events are free.

"In El Salvador: The Work of Thirty Photographers" will open Friday, Jan. 11. This exhibit includes graphic, at times shocking, portrayals of the last four years in that country, as seen through the lenses of photographers on assignments for Time, Newsweek, The New York Times, Paris Match, Stern and U.S. News and World Report. The collection chronicles the war and its effect on the civilian population.

Also opening January 11 is a show entitled "Boston Reacts," which includes works by eight area artists who are responding to current events in all of Central America. The exhibit includes work by John Christian Anderson, Laura Blacklow, David Fichter, Susan Hawley, Eugene Narrett, Jinx Nolan, Katherine Porter and Arnold Tracht-

man. Both exhibits will continue through March 15.

The gallery exhibits will also contain a brief film, representing a series of news clips from major U.S. networks and Spanish news organizations. The film reflects a recap of historical events and a look at how those events were covered for American and Spanish viewers.

On Friday and Saturday, Jan. 11 and 12, the Ramon de los Reyes Spanish Dance Troupe will perform in George Washington Hall from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. A small admission fee is required for anyone not a student or faculty member of Phillips Academy. The performance is designed to give the audience a sense of the rich culture of Latin America in preparation for further exploration of the complex social and political issues surrounding the conflict during the last several years.

This symposium is the third such series of lectures and presentations centering on one main issue of global concern. Headmaster Donald W. McNemar instituted the symposium soon after his arrival in 1981. Past topics included nuclear disarmament and racism in America.

For more information on any events, contact the public information office at Phillips Academy between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

College Academy

College Academy, a three week program for bright youngsters in grades four through eight, is now registering applicants for its session at Bradford College, July 8-26. More than 25 courses are offered in this fast moving, highly competitive program for students who enjoy an academic challenge. Space Rider, Math Madness, and Medical Detective are but three of this year's new courses. The curriculum offered by College Academy is not traditionally available in regular academic programs.

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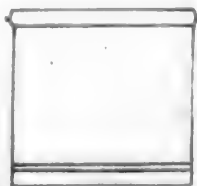
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The community diabetes education program is designed to broaden and enhance the diabetic's knowledge of the disease. Providing factual, up-to-date information and easy access to the entire referral network at Bon Secours (such as the nutrition center and the cardiac rehabilitation program), the series encourages preventive home care and teaches diabetics how to handle emergencies. A fee is charged for participation in the series. Spouses or parents of the diabetic may attend free. The community diabetes education

program is presented courtesy of the Hospital. To register, call the department of diabetes and for more information, call the hospital education at Bon Secours.



Winter Work

Derek Carson, 13, of Chestnut St., shovels out the driveway after the Monday-Tuesday snowfall. He is an eighth grader at St. Anne's school in Lawrence where classes were canceled Tuesday due to the storm.

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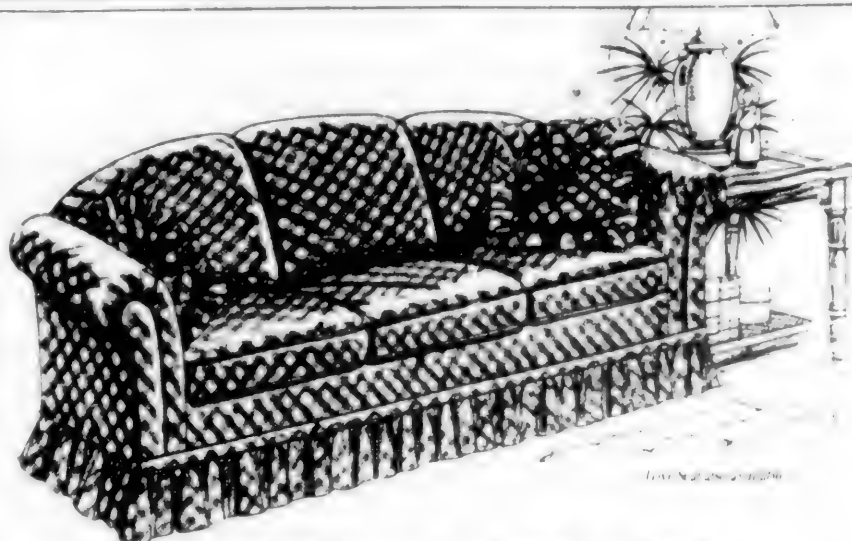
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Sharing in activities, engaging in conversation or just enjoying each other's company, all participants have delighted in their new-found friends.

The "Mitzva Corp" program, now in its third year, is under the direction of Mrs. Shelley Thompson, educational director of Temple Emanuel Religious School.

Refunds Due Residents

The Internal Revenue Service is trying to locate some area residents who are due a tax refund from their 1983 federal income tax returns. According to John D. Johnson, Boston IRS District Director, 2,178 refund checks worth \$1,027,537.89 were returned by the Postal Service as undeliverable in this area. The refund checks are for individuals in Massachusetts.

Johnson says the taxpayers may have moved or changed their last names during the year and failed to notify the IRS, or the handwriting may simply be illegible.

When a refund is returned by the Postal Service, the IRS attempts to find the taxpayer and deliver the checks, but there are always some who cannot be found. If you think you may be due a refund and have moved or changed your name during the year, contact the IRS.

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Early in January, Social Security recipients will receive from the Social Security Administration, on Form SSA1099, a statement which will identify the amount of Social Security benefits received in 1984. This statement will be of importance to anyone receiving income from any other source—particularly those persons who may have a substantial amount of additional income. Depending upon the amount of that additional income, up to one-half of the Social Security income may be subject to Federal Income Tax.

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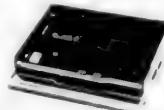
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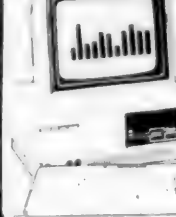


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In his proclamation, the Governor commended blood donors and blood banking: "Our blood banking service is the finest in the world and, through participation in the volunteer blood program, blood donors unselfishly share the blessing of good health with those who are less fortunate."

Each day nearly 37,000 units of blood components are transfused. Most Americans, at least

95 percent of those who reach age 72, will need blood during their lifetime.

The need for blood and blood components increases with rapid advances in medical science, such as liver transplantations and the repair of damaged hearts, and with the development of major life-saving procedures, such as the successful treatment of leukemia and the restoration of the burned and injured.

Commending the American Red Cross Blood Services for its "effort in encouraging citizens to give blood as a gift of life," Gov. Dukakis added, "I urge all citizens of the Commonwealth to volunteer their time and effort in giving blood to their local blood services."

Mountain Hike Planned

Another opportunity to discover and enjoy nearby natural beauty and outdoor activity in winter is being provided by the Andover Committee of the Appalachian Mountain Club. The group is organizing a day trip to Mt. Monadnock

on Sunday, Jan. 13. Winter conditions prevail and require appropriate equipment.

Those interested are asked to contact Larry Blood, leader.

In Advertising Competition

Marilyn E. Rea, of Andover, participated in a mock advertising competition at Miami University, in Ohio, where she is a student.

The fall semester project gives students hands-on experience in advertising, working

with a number of corporations. This fall's client was B.F. Goodrich.

Rea was assigned the position of marketing director for the winning team in the three-team competition.

At Training Course

Three Andover water department employees attended a two-day water fluoridation training course sponsored by the state Department of Public Health's dental health division.

Gregory Brucato, James M. McSurdy and James Pelan received certificates for competi-

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John Birks "Dizzy" Gillespie, the King of Jazz, will appear in concert Saturday, Feb. 16, at the J. Everett Collins Center for the Performing Arts, Shawsheen Road, Andover, at 8 p.m.

Dizzy Gillespie and his quintet will perform under the joint sponsorship of Phillips Academy, Andover, and the Andover Endowment for the Arts. The Gillespie concert will be presented in addition to the scheduled performance of the Negro Ensemble in the Soldiers Play as a celebration of Black Arts History Month. Gillespie's appearance is also in conjunction with Black Arts Weekend at Phillips Academy.

Tickets for the concert will be at a premium since the entire student body and faculty of Phillips Academy will attend. The 600 remaining seats are on sale now through the Collins Center Box Office.

There is no synopsis that can gauge John Birks "Dizzy" Gillespie's contributions to music. He is living history in a way no other jazzman can claim and is a member of the select company—Armstrong, Ellington, Parker, Davis, Coltrane—who have defined the directions and standards of jazz.

Tickets are available daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Collins Center Box Office and at the Andover Bank, Andover and North Andover branches, and Just for You, 36 Main St., Andover.

For further information and group discounts, contact the Collins Center Box Office.



Dizzy Gillespie

Guitar Recital At Addison

The music department of Phillips Academy will present John Major, guitarist, in recital at the Addison Gallery Sunday, at 3 p.m.

Major, class of '73 at Phillips Academy and a magna cum laude graduate of Harvard University, has studied with Abel Carlevaro and Michael Lorimer and has given the premieres of many new compositions for guitar. He is that rare musician, a performer who presents the classical repertoire and his own compositions and improvisations. He was selected by Julian Bream in 1981 to appear in his San Francisco masterclass. Bream's first U.S. class in a decade. As an improviser, Major played with the duo Wooden Erik, which completed an Artists in Communities residency for the California Arts Council in 1982. Major is currently teaching at Phillips Academy, Andover.

The recital, featuring music of North and South America, will include music by Villa-Lobos, Leo Brouwer, Keith Jarrett and original compositions by Major. He will be joined by Bada Polanco, soprano, Pete Lorenzo, guitar, and William Thomas, cello, of the Phillips Academy music faculty, for his composition, "Viento, Agua, Piedra," which was especially written for these musicians.

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"Vanities" Rehearsals Underway

Rehearsals for Andover Community Theatre's winter production, "Vanities," are in full swing. "Vanities" is a diverting and honest account of three girls on their long, sad journey from cheerleaders to sorority queens and finally to ladies wanly approaching their 30s with little more than their courage and props to call their own.

The ladies in question will be played by Michelle Kyllis of Arlington, Kathy Luther of Reading and Stacey Vaughan of Andover. Kyllis has appeared in two A.C.T. productions, "Chicago" and "Last of the Red Hot Lovers." Luther appeared in last season's productions of "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof" and "Chicago." Vaughan, a theatre arts graduate of Emerson, is making her debut in this show. Ron Wackowski of Andover, who recently directed A.C.T.'s mystery thriller "The Mousetrap," is directing "Vanities."

This interesting and energetic show was written by Jack Heifner, a young man whose personal history parallels that of the heroines of his play. He was a senior in a small-town Texas high school when President Kennedy was assassinated, which is the time of the play's first act.



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Present Recital In No. Andover



Jane Cormier Peterson

Jane Cormier Peterson, formerly of Andover, will perform a solo classical recital at the North Andover Middle School on January 13 at 2 p.m. This event will be sponsored by the North Andover Music Associates.

Peterson is a graduate of Bradford College and has studied at the Boston Conservatory of Music. She is currently studying voice with Barbara McClosky in Boston and Opera Performance with Janet Bookspan in New York City.

During the summer, Peterson was a student at the American Institute of Musical Studies in Graz, Austria, and, while there, performed in concert with world-class accompanist/pianist Norman Shetler who has accompanied such famous singers as Elly Ameling and Dietrich Fischer-Dieskau.

Mark N. Peterson, music director at West Parish Church in Andover and music professor at Bradford College, will accompany his wife at the piano.

The program will include works by Brahms, Faure and Barber as well as other well-known composers.

College Choir To Present Sacred Music Concert

The Ashland College Choir will present a concert of sacred music at Free Christian Church in Andover on Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 8 p.m. The choir is on an 11-day tour of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Massachusetts and New York. Composed of 45 singers representing a variety of academic majors across campus, the choir has made several successful tours of Europe and the United States. They won first prize in the Folk

Division of the prestigious Spittal Competition in Spittal, Austria, in 1981. The music performed will include unaccompanied works by Tallis, Schutz, Sweelinck, Stravinsky and Finzi and accompanied works by Gibbons, Faure and Brahms.

Ashland College is a private, co-educational liberal arts college located in Ashland, Ohio, with an on-campus enrollment of 1,350 full-time students. More than 80 academic majors are offered in liberal arts and professional programs.

Jerry Ulrich, conductor of the Ashland College Choir, is in his first year as director of choral activities and assistant professor of music at the college. He holds the Bachelor of Music degree from Eastern Illinois University, the Master of Music degree in choral conducting from Southern Methodist University and is a candidate for the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in choral conducting from the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. Ulrich has served as an administrator and teacher in the Fulton County School system in Atlanta, Ga., and recently served as guest clinician for the Georgia Independent Schools All-Select Chorus.

Admission to the concert is free and a free-will offering will be taken. For more information, call Free Christian Church.

Named Senior Chemist

Dr. Norman W. Rice has been appointed Senior Chemist for Morton Thiokol, Inc., ALFA products it is announced by Dr. Benjamin C. Hui, ALFA's Technical and Production Manager.

In his position, Dr. Rice will be responsible for new product development and process improvement in the organic chemicals area. In addition, he will provide technical assistance to ALFA's marketing and customer service departments.

Prior to joining ALFA, he was a research chemist for the Atlantic Gelatin Division of General Foods. He was also affiliated with the American Hoechst Corporation. Dr. Rice received a Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Connecticut and a PhD degree in Organic Chemistry from the University of Massachusetts where he specialized in the development of new amino protecting groups. He is a member of the American Chemical Society and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Dr. Rice, his wife, Susan and daughter, Emily, reside in Andover.

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Building Addition Tops List

Topping last month's list of building permits was an addition at the Frost Company, 224 Andover St., valued at \$250,000. The total estimated value of December building permits issued was \$1,806,648, with the town receiving \$14,432 in fees from the issuance of the permits.

New home permits were issued to: Philip Doucet, 48 Cutler road, \$80,000; Ellico Inc., 5, 7, 9, and 10 Bell Isle Way, all \$75,000 each; Raymond G. Mansour, 10 Regis Road, \$60,000; Olympic Village Development 5, 10 Nicoll Drive, \$92,000 each; S.B. Homes, 74 Bailey Road, \$79,000; David G. Cleary, 123-125 North Main St., \$67,000; Doherty and Sons Inc., 9 Blackberry Lane, \$63,000; Magee Construction 21 and 22 Orchard Crosstin, \$75,000 and \$81,000; Colin Ahern, 7 Monahan Lane, \$73,000; and G. Hughes, 4 Seten Circle, \$90,000.

Foundations were poured for the following homes: Ellico Inc., 5, 7, 9, 10 Bell Isle Way, and David G. Cleary, 123-125 North Main St.

Additions and alterations: Michael Buss, 30 Linwood Avenue, vinyl siding, \$5,000; William Simone, 2 and 4 Main St., interior alterations, \$10,000; Robin Lowe, 21 Highplain Road, deck, \$1,300; Raytheon, 350 Lowell St., addition, \$36,000; Ting Huang, 178 Haggetts Pond Road, coal stove; Al Pardo, 20 Brady Loop, remodel kitchen, \$6,600.

Peter F. Hebert, 8 Pole Hill Drive, woodstove, \$700; William Lucey, 2 Napier Road, woodstove, \$1,500; Michael Jenike, 3 Phaeton Circle, finishing, \$2,000; Ann Grecoe, 49 Whittier Court, reroof, \$1,200; Theodore Brother, 52 Sagamore Drive, master bedroom, \$10,000; Frost Co., 224 Andover St., warehouse addition, \$250,000; John Andreadis, 21 Korinthian Way, woodstove, \$1,000.

Leslie Pilgrim, 36 Vine St., reroof, \$1,200; Sang B. Joo, 5 Yardley Road, solar panels, \$4,500; Dorothy Doyle, 49 Reservation Road, woodstove, \$75; Shetland Properties, York and Haverhill Streets, interior alterations, \$120,000; Peter Retalis, Evergreen Lane, woodstove, \$1,000; Richard Asoian, 10 Essex St., alterations, \$25,000;

Silvija Aprans, 40 Chestnut St., alterations, \$7,600; Leonard Hill, 11 Juliette St., alterations, \$10,000.

Bill Rockwell, 175 Elm St., garage, \$4,500; Bruce Camber, 183 Lowell St., alteration, \$10,000; Edward Broadus, 77 Bartlett St., reroof, \$1,500; Anne Jean Jacques, 4 Shawsheen Road, residing, \$5,000; Richard Mitrano, 106 Wildwood Road, woodstove, \$300; Jarvis-Wittenber, 129 Elm St., enclose porch, \$5,000; Claude Marchessault, 18 Rennie Drive, woodstove, \$500; Jeff Goodman, 22 Algonquin Avenue, enclose porch, \$5,000; Denny Lee, 2 Millstone Circle, addition, \$44,000.

Vocational Technical School, 57 River Road, alterations, \$4,000; Donald Richmond, alterations, 52 Main St., \$5,000; Peter Onarian, 89-93 Old Andover Village, tenant partition, \$5,240; Camarota, 134 Elm St., strip roof, \$6,345; Harold Boynton, 188 Elm St., reshingle, \$2,788; Margaret Bagni, 16 Cutter Road, alterations, \$15,000; Ruth Hooker, 161 Highland Road, woodstove, \$150; Shawsheen Luncheonette, 2 Lowell St., replace interior doors, \$4,000; Paul F. Winter, 8 Pheasant Run, woodstove, \$900; James Ofria, 6 Exeter Way, woodstove, \$800; Charles Montgomery, 11 Carriage Hill Road, extend kitchen, \$8,000; Michael Houghton, 87 Haverhill St., woodstove, \$400; Kenneth Rousselle, 137 Chandler Road, wood frame foundation, \$8,000.

Permits for other work include: Andover Business Park, River Road, sign, \$3,700; Robert Finlayson, 63 Park St., two signs, \$1,400 each; Robert Smith, 14 Brook St., mobile home, \$3,000; F & M Trust, 18 Elm St., sign, \$500; R.M. Bradley, Shattuck Road, three signs, \$450 each; Town of Andover, River Road, raze boat house, free; A & M Realty Trust, 12 Railroad St., raze portion of building, free.

Chimney permits were given for 4 Shawsheen; 67, 70, 71 and 75 Nicoll; three certificate of inspection permits, five zoning verifications, two zoning affidavits, one stop work order and one certificate of occupancy were given out last month.

Reading Specialists In Mall

Reading specialists will be the next group to enter Robert Finlayson's Park Street Village mall when The Reading Game, one of four New England centers of its kind for remedial and other types of reading instruction, opens sometime next week.

Owned by parent group American Learning Corp., of Huntington Beach, Calif., The Reading Game will open here and in Burlington, Braintree and Needham, the only Reading Game locations in the northeast, said Gayle Lehrfeld, a regional manager for the company.

The Reading Game will offer speed reading courses, classes for persons having difficulty reading as well as courses to prepare high schoolers for college entrance exams, Lehrfeld said.

The new company joins The Lingerie Showroom, Cristina's, a woman's dress shop; and Country Traditionals, a furniture store in the mall, located off Park Street.

The Reading Game will lease approximately 1,100 square feet, said Lehrfeld. At first, she said, a full-time director and assistant director will staff the center. And, as the customer list grows, new staffers will be

added, Lehrfeld explained. Personnel for the Andover office hasn't yet been selected, said the manager.

Students who sign up for the hour sessions at The Reading Game will work individually or in groups that don't exceed a ratio of three students to one teacher, said Lehrfeld. Once they are school-age, students may sign on with The Reading Game, Lehrfeld said but wouldn't estimate the maximum amount of customers the business could handle. Students, she said, usually spend two hours a week at Reading Game sessions. The cost for each hour lesson has not yet been set for the Andover branch but Lehrfeld, who lives in Reading, speculated an hour's lesson would run between \$23 and \$27.

Finlayson told THE TOWNSMAN last week that he has three more stores "ready to go" into his mall. But, he added, paperwork for the transactions won't be complete until sometime next week.

The developer said he had quite a bit of space left in the mall which he had originally hoped to fill by last Thanksgiving.

Did You Know?

There is solid evidence that nonsmokers can suffer lung disease from exposure to the cigarette smoke of others, according to a recent report from the Surgeon General of the United States.

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Selectmen Renew Licenses

The Board of Selectmen recently approved the renewal of annual licenses to serve food granted to Andover restaurants, convenience markets, caterers, cafeterias and canteens. The fee charged for each annual license is \$50.

According to Town Clerk Elden Salter, the common victualler (food) licenses that have been renewed for 1985 are held by:

Andover Grill, Inc., 40 Park St., Georgina Lane, manager; Andover Jade Restaurant, Inc., 217 North Main St., Tom Seto, manager; Andover Knights of Columbus, doing business as Andover 1078, Osgood Street, Christopher Goumas, manager; Andover Lodge of Elks 2198, 400 South Main St., P.O. Box 30, James J. Eldred, manager; Andymes Management Corp., doing business as Justin's, 18 Park St., Brian Jaymes, manager; and Backstreet Fine Dining and Spirits, 19 Essex St., Richard DeAngelis, manager.

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Doherty Elected Vice Chairman

The Governing Committee of Commonwealth Automobile Reinsurers (C.A.R.) has elected board member James D. Doherty of Andover vice chairman for the forthcoming year.

Doherty, treasurer of Doherty Insurance Agency, Inc. of Andover and president of the Independent Insurance Agents of Massachusetts, was unanimously elected at the board's monthly December meeting. He succeeds Charles F. Murphy, owner and operator of Charles F. Murphy Insurance Agency of Braintree.

Arthur J. Remillard, Jr., president of The Commerce Insurance Company of Webster, was re-elected chairman.

C.A.R. is the Bay State's residual market mechanism (high risk pool) which reinsures approximately half of Massachusetts motorists.

Sunday Walk

On Sunday, Jan. 13, the public is invited to join members of the Ipswich River Watershed Association, Inc., for a winter Bird Walk on Plum Island, led by Charles Costello of Rockport. Call him for reservations. Participants will meet at the aAirport at the entrance to Plum Island promptly at 8:30 a.m.

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Also: Howard Johnson Co., doing business as Ground Round, 560 South Main St., Mitchell Dick, manager; King's Sub, 11 Bartlet St.; Lanam Club, Inc., 260 North Main St., Robert Phinney, manager; Lantern Brunch Food and Ice Cream, 89 North Main St., George Dukas, manager; McDonalds of Andover, 195 North Main St., Thomas Curtin, manager; Jean Malisos, doing business as JM Canteen, 12 Bailey Road, Salem, N.H.; Santo Messina, 311 Merrimack St., Lawrence; Steven Messina, 309 Merrimack St., Lawrence; My Brother's Place, 9-11 Post Office Ave., Joseph A. Mitchell, manager; and New Indian Ridge Country Club, Inc., off Lovejoy Road, John L. Vinios, manager.

And: 99 North, doing business as 99 West, 464 Lowell St., Dana G. Doe, manager; Papa Gino's of America, Shawsheen Plaza, North Main Street; Mimi Queen, 5 Timothy Drive; Raspberries, 46 Main St., Susan Lenoe and Peg Ireland, managers; Rose Glen Ice Cream parlor, 22 Andover St., Douglas Adams, manager; SGS Restaurants (Andover), Inc., doing business as Valle's Steak House, River Road-U.S. Route 1, Robert Cyr, manager; Santana's, 516 South Main St.; and Sea Train, Inc., 100 School St., John Marroca, manager.

Finally: Service Systems Corp., Andover Companies, 305 North Main St., Sandy Sheperd, cafeteria manager; Servomation Corp., Brockway Smith Co., 146 Dascomb Road, Eric Johnson, cafeteria manager; Servomation of Boston, Software International, 1 Tech Drive; Shawsheen Luncheonette, Inc., 3 Lowell St., Roland Boisvert, manager; Vandine's Restaurant, 5 Lupine Road, Michael and Mary Jane Bauser, managers; What's Cooking, Inc., 93 Rear Main St., Brenda Vigeant, manager; Servomation Corp., Gillette Toiletries, 30 Burt Road, Grant Fabre, manager; and Towne Deli, Inc., 207 Rear North Main St., Stacy Moore, manager.

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Condo Plan Studied

By Susan Rand

The Zoning Board of Appeals has put off making a decision on Anastasios Kalogianis's plan to put an 80 unit condominium development, complete with its own health club, on two acres of land on Railroad Street.

The ZBA heard Kalogianis's request for the variance he needs before starting work on the project at their meeting Thursday, Jan. 3. But because board officials requested more information from the developer on Thursday and again on Saturday, when they toured the site, they held off making a decision on Kalogianis's request, Appeals Chairman Wesley Whitney told THE TOWNSMAN.

A meeting to discuss the condo plan, to be called Corinthian Condominiums, will be scheduled in the next few weeks, Whitney said.

A similar variance allowing the condos to be built on the same parcel of Industrial G land was granted by the ZBA back in November of 1982 but Kalogianis didn't start work on the project before that variance lapsed. Andover attorney Reginald Marden, representing Kalogianis's A and M Realty company told the ZBA last Thursday that Kalogianis's new variance petition was much the same as the 1982 request.

The only difference is in the laying of the sewer and water lines from the development, Marden said. The first plan had the water running down Essex Street and the sewer line through adjacent land owned by the MBTA. Now both utilities run down Baker Lane, a private way that Kalogianis will upgrade to town standards in return for the right to run the sewer and water down the road, his attorney told the board.

Securing the MBTA easement was, Marden said on Thursday, one of the primary reasons

Kalogianis didn't get started on the project two years ago.

When the board allowed the 1982 petition it did so calling the development a fairly low-cost alternative to single family housing in town and one which would use fewer town services than a subdivision with 80 separate homes. The approximate cost of the condos in 1982 was to be in the \$80,000 to \$90,000 range. Now the homes will sell for between \$80,000 and \$120,000 Kalogianis told the ZBA.

The development will feature the five-story building which will contain one and two bedroom units, Marden said. Faced in brick, Corinthian Condominiums will offer residents an indoor swimming pool, sauna, barbecue room, activity rooms and a health club, said the developer on Thursday. The site plans show 105 parking spaces at the development.

One aspect of the development the board will further study is how much traffic the project will generate. Engineer James DiAngelo, from Vanasse Hangen, in Boston, told the board that condos on the Railroad Street parcel will generate less traffic than an office development there. But Whitney told DiAngelo that in theory both the office and condo projects could present overwhelming traffic problems for the area. He requested specific site calculations of traffic on the site which will be discussed at the as yet unscheduled deliberation meeting.

And a number of agreements Kalogianis has with residents adjacent to the project will also be discussed. A handful of Baker Lane neighbors were present on Thursday and told the Appeals Board they are worried about the effects of the development on their land.

Porch Addition Denied

Mildred and Seymour Vogel won't be able to walk out their kitchen onto a screened-in porch this summer because a tentative decision by the Zoning Board of Appeals denied them permission to add the porch onto their Birch Road home.

Herbert Vogel told the Zoning Board at their meeting last Thursday that his family wanted to add the porch off their kitchen which would put the structure too close to the lot line. A similar structure could be added to the home off a bedroom, but, Herbert Vogel told the board, the family didn't want to travel through the bedroom to get to the porch.

The ZBA, after a visit to the home on Saturday morning, agreed there wasn't a necessary hardship involved in the Vogel petition, said board Chairman Wesley Whitney, and voted to deny the variance request. That denial has yet to be formally ratified after a decision is written on the request by a member of the board, Whitney explained.

Other tentative decisions by the board included an approval of a special permit extension

requested by Cormier-Andover Inc., for remodeling work at the Andover Country Club. That request was contested by David Stafford, 37 Lowell St., who asked the board to deny the extension request.

Stafford told the board on Thursday that developer Yvon Cormier, who is doing the country club work, had created drainage problems on his land after he sold seven acres of land on Stafford Lane to Cormier. Calling Cormier "not a very responsible builder," Stafford said he was taking legal action against the developer.

The board also decided Dean and Katherine Romig's did not need board permission to add a second floor to their 78 River St. home. And a scheduled public hearing to hear Gerard and Julian Levesque's request to subdivide a single lot on Tewksbury Road into two lots was not heard at Thursday's meeting because neither Levesque attended the meeting. Seven neighbors, though, did attend to speak against the Levesque request but they were not heard because the petition was withdrawn without prejudice.

Andover Project To Be Featured

Andover's Peer Counseling Project will be modeled on a television show scheduled to air this Sunday, Jan. 13, at 7 p.m., on Channel 4.

A situation comedy, the show, called "Silver Spoons," will feature a segment about star character Ricky Schroeder's involvement in his high school's peer counseling project.

The script for the program was developed with help from Andover's Peer Counseling Director Rebecca Mooney. Mooney said that the show's producer Steve Pritzker learned about peer counseling centers from a high school in Beverly Hills, Calif., where he got the idea for the show. The Beverly Hills center was developed from documents produced here in Andover, said Mooney.

Sunday's segment is entitled "Special Friend," Mooney said. Students from Andover High's Drop-In Center at the Peer Counseling Project will watch the show together at the home of Carolyn Skinder, an aide in the high school center.

But don't look for Mooney or Andover High to be listed in the credits at the end of the show. When she was first contacted to consult with the show's producers they told Mooney they couldn't give her credit for her work. But, Mooney said, she decided to do the work anyway to make sure the show is a true-to-life portrayal of a high school peer counselor.

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Kathleen A. Byrne

Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Byrne of 37 West Parish Drive, Andover, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen A. Byrne, to Donald P. Gagnon, Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Gagnon of 65 Tolman Ave., Lowell.

Ms. Byrne is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts. She is employed as international sales coordinator for Alpha Software Corp. of Burlington.

Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Lowell. He is employed as direct sales manager for Logcraft, Inc., of Nashua, N.H.

An April wedding is planned.

La Leche League To Meet

Mothers who wish to breastfeed their babies will find encouragement and information at the Andover La Leche League and the Lawrence La Leche League. The next meeting topic, the first of a series of four, is entitled "The Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and

Baby." Locations for the meeting are Greater Lawrence Family Health Center, 150 Park St., Lawrence, at 10 a.m. on January 17 and at the home of Kristina Liversidge, 378 So. Main St., Andover, at 8 p.m. on January 10. Interested women and nursing babies are welcome.

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The bride is a graduate of the School of Nursing at Northeastern University, Boston, and is employed as a registered nurse at Boston City Hospital, Boston.

Her husband received his undergraduate degree from Cornell University and a Ph.D. from Harvard University. He is employed at Mitre Corp. of Burlington.

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November Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Newman of Atkinson, N.H., announce the engagement of their daughter, Valerie Anne Young, to Louie Michael Meeks of Methuen. Mr. Meeks is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Meeks of Smyrna, Georgia.

Miss Young is a graduate of Andover High School and attended Northern Essex Community College. She is employed at Analog Devices.

Mr. Meeks attended Georgia Tech and is employed by Allied Plate Glass.

A November wedding is planned.

To Wed In April

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. McDonald, 72 Fernview Avenue, North Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jan M., to Daniel J. Quinlan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Quinlan, 34 Trinity Court, North Andover.

Miss McDonald, a graduate of Andover High School, attended Northeastern University and received a B.S. degree in physical education from Bridgewater State College. She is a wear test specialist for Converse, Inc., Wilmington.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Northern Essex Community College and Lowell University with a B.S. degree in criminal justice, is a police officer in North Andover.

An April 13 wedding is planned.

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DaCosta-Wesson

Elaine Marie Wesson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wesson, Jr., of 18 Marwood Drive, Andover, was married to Edward Joseph DaCosta, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DaCosta, Jr., of East Hanover, New Jersey, on Oct. 13 at the Chapel of Christ the Teacher, Merrimack College, North Andover.

Father Ray Jackson, O.S.A., officiated at the six o'clock candlelight ceremony. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore her mother's wedding gown of beau de soie accented with alencon lace. She carried her mother's ivory antique French fan, adorned with cascades of stephanotis.

Dana Maureen Wesson Lanio was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Paula Wesson, Mary Ellen Wesson, Anne-Marie Wesson, Kathleen Wesson and Suzan Ertlmeier. Danielle Ferreira was the flower girl. They wore princess-styled gowns of royal blue satin and carried fans decorated with mums, bachelor buttons and wheat, designed by Richard Tibah, the bride's godfather.

Dr. Mark DeMeo was the groom's best man. Ushers were Christopher Conn, Russell Parker, Mark Civil, Joseph Cadagnone and Robert Gallo. David Ferreira was ring bearer.

Amy Piazza served as guest book attendant.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the Andover Country Club.

The bride, a 1982 graduate of Villanova University, is employed as a graphic artist with Spectrum Magazine at the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, New York City, N.Y.

Her husband, a 1981 graduate of Villanova University, is employed as a salesman-territory representative with McCormick and Co., Inc.

Following a two-week wedding trip to Portugal, the couple is residing in Milburn, New Jersey.

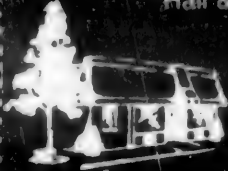
Theme Gardens Is Topic

The Herb Society of Andover will hold its January meeting at the home of Betty Whittaker, 1 Napier Road, Andover, on January 14 at 9:30 a.m. Margaret Cronin will present "Theme Gardens." Susan Williams will give a mini-talk on the herb-of-the-month, Salad Burnet.

For further information on the herb society, contact Claudia Trede, 11 Brentwood, Circle.

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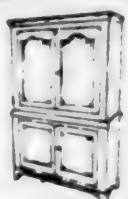


Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. DaCosta

Concert

Colonial Brass Quintet of the Air Force of New England will give a concert on Sunday, Feb. 3, at 3 p.m. in Salem State College's library function room.

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Memorial Service For King

The Andover Ecumenical Peace Group will sponsor a memorial service in honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. on Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the Ballard Vale United Church. To commemorate King's birthday, the prayer and meditation service will feature readings from King on the issues of peace and justice along with selections from the Books of Amos and Matthew. Cynthia Hollenbeck of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church will perform a sacred dance and Rev. William Mullin of St. Robert's Roman Catholic Church will assist Rev. Gary Cornell during the service.

The fourth in a series of nine monthly prayer services for peace, established this fall by the Andover Ecumenical Peace Group, the January service offers an opportunity to witness to God's call to work for justice to find peace.

The monthly prayer services, each sponsored by one of 13 local churches, present an opportunity for each church to share its understanding of the issues of peace and to celebrate the unity of all God's people on this important issue. Participating Andover churches have also joined to sponsor the Andover Peace Covenant, a personal covenant with one's God to pray, study and openly dialogue about peace and to join in support of others who are working for peace.

The service is open to all who wish to attend. A special copy of the Andover Peace Covenant, for members of the Andover community who are not affiliated with one of the participating churches, will be available at the service. The Ballard Vale United Church is located on the corner of Clark Road and Hall Avenue in Andover.

Annual Meeting At Church

The congregation of the Ballard Vale United Church (United Methodist Church and United Church of Christ) will have its annual meeting for budget and membership following this Sunday's service of worship. Rick Fox, chairperson of the finance committee, will present, for church approval, a 1985 budget of \$64,857.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be celebrated at

this Sunday's 10:30 a.m. service. The Rev. Gary S. Cornell will preach on "Were You at Your Baptism?" based on Mark's account of the Baptism of Jesus. The winter quarter for the church school has begun with all children's classes studying the life of Jesus. Church school for children is at 10:30 a.m. with an adult class meeting at 9 a.m. in the parsonage.

Information Meetings At Church

West Parish Church, 129 Reservation Road, Andover, is offering a series of informational meetings about its local church and the United Church of Christ on January 13, 20 and 27.

The religious heritage of the U.C.C. stems from the great traditions of the Protestant Reformation-Lutheran, Calvinist and Congregational. Today the U.C.C. has more than one and

three-quarter million members throughout America and carries the goal of joining together into one church all who share allegiance to Christ.

All families interested in this opportunity should contact the church office between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Graham L.N. Ward is senior minister.

Children's Series On Cable

Faith Lutheran Church will present the children's religious series, "Davey and Goliath." The 60 fifteen-minute programs will be aired two at a time every Tuesday and Thursday from 4 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Andover Cable Channel 11.

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To Present Handel's "Messiah"

There are two reasons which prompt the performance of a major work by George Frederick Handel. For music historians, 1985 marks the tri-Centenary of Handel's birth. For the church, this Sunday is the celebration of the Octave of Epiphany, the last celebration of the Christmas holiday season.

The Schola Cantorum of the Parish of Christ Church, Andover, is offering a unique presentation of "The Messiah," part one, this Sunday, Jan. 13, at 3:45 p.m. in the parish hall. It is unique in that it is being presented not as a sacred choral work, but as a performance for public entertainment. The choir is somewhat

New Church Opens In No. Andover

Two New England ministers are working together to start a new fundamentalist Baptist church in North Andover.

Rev. Joseph Candiano and Rev. Michael Leffler will start services at their church, called the Liberty Baptist Church of Essex County, which will meet at the North Andover Community Center, at Salem and Johnson Streets.

Services will be held at 10 a.m., on Sunday mornings.

Rev. Candiano, a graduate of the Bible Baptist Institute of the Northeast, in Litchfield, N.H., calls himself an "open air campaigner," having ministered in the streets in Lawrence, Methuen, Haverhill, Arlington, Boston, New York, and Nashua, N.H.

Rev. Leffler, of Plaistow, N.H., graduated from Lynchburg Baptist College, in Lynchburg, Va., and was ordained in Lyon County, Minn. He has been the pastor at the Bible Baptist Church, in Plaistow, for the last four years.

Hospital's Expenses

How do hospitals spend their money? The largest part of a hospital's expenses are for wages, salaries and benefits. They total more than 64 percent of all the money hospitals pay out. Purchased—services, laundry, cleaning, telephone, etc.—take another 5 percent of the budget. The 30 percent that's left is divided up among a wide variety of goods and services, including:

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Food takes 3.3 percent;

Drugs and pharmaceuticals, 2.6 percent. Some hospitals spend more for x-ray film than they spend for all drugs in the course of a year.

Across the nation, pharmacy expenses average about 4 percent of total hospital expenses, although about a third of such expenses go to wages, salaries and benefits.

smaller than one has grown to expect when hearing "The Messiah," 14 singers, accompanied by a string quartet, two woodwinds and a positon organ. The setting of the parish hall instead of the church will offer a less formal environment.

A non-sacred performance of "The Messiah" is very much in keeping with the composer's original concept of the piece. Handel was in deep financial trouble at the time he wrote the work. His opera company had folded, he had suffered a stroke and was seriously considering leaving England.

Charles Jennings, Handel's librettist on more than one occasion, presented the composer with "The Messiah" text in hopes it would encourage him to return to writing English oratorios. Handel accepted the text in 1741 and was asked to give a series of concerts in Dublin that summer. He began composing the music on August 22, 1741, and completed it three weeks later on September 14.

"The Messiah" premiered on April 13, 1742, for the benefit of charity. The populace was so excited over this new work that ladies were requested not to wear hoops so that a larger audience could be accommodated.

Handel was again a success with his operas in London, although theatergoers were not pleased with using biblical texts for theater works. Since many of his principal patrons were Jewish (Handel only wrote two sacred oratorios using New Testament texts), he advertised "The Messiah" as "a new sacred oratorio" so as not to offend his patrons. It was not successful.

The score for "The Messiah" was never published in Handel's lifetime as the subject continued to be considered sensitive, but the performance of the work grew in popularity as Handel began to use it annually for his charity performances for the Foundling Hospital. These concerts began in 1750 and continued until his death in 1759. To this day, the annual performances of "The Messiah" have been a musical tradition unparalleled in the English-speaking world.

"The Messiah" is not specifically a Christmas piece. The majority of Part I is taken from Old Testament prophecies. Only "There were Shepherds," "Glory to God," the second part of "He shall feed His flock" and the final chorus, "His yoke is easy" are taken from the books of Matthew and Luke. The rest of the texts are derived from Isaiah, Haggai, Malachi and Zacharias.

According to Earl L. Miller, music director of Christ Church, "This is not just one more performance of 'The Messiah.' It is an opportunity to look at this much performed work in another light, entertainment." All of the soloists have been taken from the Schola Cantorum and all of the instrumentalists are from the greater Andover community.

The presentation is free and open to the public. In breaking the tradition of the first performance in 1742, ladies may wear hoops if they desire, although a warm sweater is recommended.



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Apostolic

St. Gregory
Armenian Apostolic Church
Rev. Arshag Daghljan, Pastor
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SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer; 10 a.m. Badarak.

Baptist

Andover Baptist Church
Rev. Reginald MacDonald
Pastor
Essex St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:50 a.m. Morning Worship.

Judson Memorial Baptist Church, S.B.C.
3 Greene St., Lawrence
SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m.; 11 a.m. Bible Study for all ages; 11 a.m. Worship; 6:30 p.m. Worship.
WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Service.

Bible Chapels

Andover Bible Chapel
266 Lowell St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Communion Service; 11 a.m. Family Bible Hour and Sunday School; 6 p.m. Evening Service; 7 p.m. Youth Group.
MONDAY: 6:45 p.m. Awana Club - Boys & Girls.
WEDNESDAY: 7:45 p.m. Prayer & Bible Study.

Rehoboth Fellowship Center
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SUNDAY EVENINGS: 6-7 Bible Study; 7-8 Worship and Praise.
FRIDAY: Choir rehearsal.

The New England Bible Church
Knights of Columbus Hall
Osgood St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Morning Worship; 6 p.m. Evening Worship.
THURSDAY: 7 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer at Heritage Green Apartments Clubhouse, North Andover.

Catholic

St. Augustine's Church
Rev. Richard T. O'Leary, O.S.A., Pastor
43 Essex St., Andover
SATURDAY: Masses 4 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 9:30, 11 a.m., 12:30.
Holy Day Masses: 7, 8, 10:30 a.m.; 5:30 and 7 p.m. Evening before 4 and 5:30 p.m.
First Friday Mass: 11 a.m.
Penance: Saturday 11 a.m.-12 Noon, 7-8 p.m.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church
Rev. Frederick J. Collins, Pastor
Haggetts Pond Road, Andover
SATURDAY: Masses 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses: 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.

St. Joseph's Church
High St., Ballardvale

SUNDAY: Masses 10:00 & 11:30.

St. Michael's Church
Rev. Frederick J. Minigan, Pastor
196 Main St., North Andover
SATURDAY: Masses at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon.
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Congregational

Free Christian Church
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THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing Circle; 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir; 8:00 p.m. Young Life/Senior High at West gym.
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Crib Room - Adult; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service; 10:45 a.m. Activity Hour; 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour.
TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Women's Fellowship; 12:30 p.m. Flounders Circle Luncheon; 7:30 p.m. Mission Committee.
WEDNESDAY: 4 p.m. Junior Youth; 7:15 p.m. Women's Fellowship.

South Church
(United Church of Christ)
Rev. Dr. Westy A. Egmont
41 Central St., Andover
FRIDAY: 9:30 a.m. Women in the Word; 8 p.m. AA Meeting; Junior High Ski Retreat Weekend Begins.

SATURDAY: 12:00 p.m. 2 & 1 Club.
SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Church School; 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship; Crib Room & 3 year olds; 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; 7 p.m. College & Career Group; Senior Pilgrim Fellowship.

MONDAY: 7:00 p.m. Agoraphobics Meeting; 7:30 p.m. Board of World of Service Meeting.
TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Material Aid; 8 p.m. Ping Pong for Men.
WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Kiddie Korner, Adult Bible Study; 3:00 p.m. Memorial Gifts Committee; 7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts.
THURSDAY: 3:30 p.m. Junior Choir; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir; Inquirer's Class begins. Separate but Growing.

West Parish Church
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129 Reservation Rd., Andover
Rev. Graham L.N. Ward, Pastor

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship; Rev. Graham L.N. Ward, Sr. Minister, will give the sermon: "The Holy Spirit: Comforting the afflicted and Afflicting the Comfortable" Scripture Readings: Isaiah 61:1-4; Acts 11:14-18; Mark 1:4-11; Coffee Hour following service in Fellowship Hall; greeters will be Donna and Donald Ellsworth; Infant/Toddler care during worship; Church School during worship; 7:30 p.m. New Members Seminar.

MONDAY: 7 a.m. Men's Group; 7:45 p.m. Missions Council.

TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Trustees; Choir Rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Search Committee.

SATURDAY: 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Bean Supper.

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MONDAY: 10 p.m. Spirit Song (an Ecumenical sacred dance group); 8 p.m. Recovery.

TUESDAY: 7 p.m. Holy Communion and Healing Service (first and third Tuesdays of the month); 8:30 p.m. Al-Anon.

WEDNESDAY: 7 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Alcoholics Anonymous.

THURSDAY: 9 a.m. Spirit Song; 4 p.m. Music for young children (grades 1-3); 5 p.m. Choir (grades 3-9); 7 p.m. Full Choir rehearsal.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
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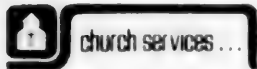
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SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 10 a.m. Morning Adult Coffee.

Lutheran

Faith Lutheran Church
 Rev. Dennis Kohl, Pastor
 360 So. Main St., Andover
THURSDAY: 7 p.m. and 8 p.m. Confirmation Class; 7:00 p.m. Junior Choir; 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir.
SATURDAY: 5:30 p.m. Spoken Holy Communion.
SUNDAY: 8:30 a.m. Holy Communion; 9:15 a.m. Sunday School, Adult Forum; 10:30 a.m. The Service.

Unitarian

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Now is a good time to pursue an old or new hobby and the display shelves at the library are full of books offering some unusual and different hobbies to inspire creative talents.

Artist Of The Month

The watercolor and acrylic paintings of Marilene Sawaf are on display at Memorial Hall Library during January. Sawaf is a graduate in interior architecture and design from the University of "St. Espirit" (Kaslik) in Lebanon. She received her fundamental art training with the ABC Art School in Paris.

A native of Lebanon who has resided in the Nashua area for the past four years, Sawaf has been exhibiting in art shows in New Hampshire and Art-in-the-Park as a member of the Art Group, the Nashua Art Association and the New Hampshire Art Association. Her paintings can be seen in many municipal buildings and public places in the New England area.

Holiday Closing

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Pauline Yurka

Pauline E. (Kingston) Yurka of Merrimack Street, Methuen, a graduate of Punchard High School, Andover, died Jan. 3 at Lawrence General Hospital. She was 67.

Born in Piercefield, N.Y., Mrs. Yurka had been a resident of the Lawrence area for many years. After graduating from Punchard High School, she graduated from MacIntosh Business School of Lawrence in 1938. She was employed as a private secretary at Lawrence Lumber Company and Massachusetts Electric Company for ten years.

She leaves her husband, John Yurka of Methuen; two sons, John J. Yurka of Dracut and David A. Yurka of Plaistow, N.H.; two sisters, Doris M. Beatty of North Andover and Ellen K. Fallon of Rye, N.Y.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at the Pollard Funeral Home, 233 Lawrence St., Methuen. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery, Methuen.

Nelcena H. Hatfield

Nelcena H. (Copeland) Hatfield of 321 Chestnut St., Lynnfield, died Dec. 25 at Lawrence General Hospital following a heart attack. She was 75.

Born in Everett, Mrs. Hatfield had lived in Lynnfield for 35 years. A former resident of North Reading, she was a graduate of North Reading schools and Reading Senior High School, where she was chosen as class valedictorian.

Mrs. Hatfield was employed for more than 25 years at Addison Wesley Publishing Co. of Reading, where she was regional office manager. She belonged to the Essex County Greenbelt Association and the Massachusetts Audubon Society, as well as a number of environmental organizations.

She leaves her husband, Edward Arthur Hatfield of Lynnfield; one sister, Ida Wolgram of San Diego, Calif.; one niece, and one nephew.

Private funeral services were to be held at the family's convenience. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Croswell Funeral Home, 19 Bow St., North Reading.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Audubon Society, 5 Great Road, Lincoln, 01773.

Herbert L. Bachmann

Herbert L. Bachmann of 18 Stratford Road, Andover, an Andover resident of 55 years, died Jan. 3 at Lawrence General Hospital. He was 80.

Born in Lawrence, Mr. Bachmann belonged to the United Presbyterian Church of Andover for more than 50 years, and had served as financial secretary of the Men's Fellowship organization at the church. He was also a

member of the Andover Haven, and of the Wednesday Morning Men's Club of Lawrence as well. He had worked at Phillips Academy, Andover, until his retirement.

The widower of Clara (Hagen) Bachmann, he leaves one son, Robert W. Bachmann of Andover; one grandson, Christian T. Bachmann of Andover; and a number of nieces.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at Emmert Funeral Chapel, 93 East Haverhill St., Lawrence. Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery, Lawrence.

Contributions may be made in memory of Clara and Herbert Bachmann to the United Presbyterian Church Memorial Fund, 96 East Haverhill St., Lawrence.

Jeanne Shepard May

Jeanne Shepard May of Rossmoor, Monroe Township, N.J., a former Andover resident, died Jan. 3 at the Medical Center in Princeton, N.J. She was 68.

Born in Lloydsville, Ohio, Mrs. May grew up in Morgantown, W.Va. She had been a resident of Rossmoor since 1977, and had formerly lived in Madison, N.J., in Andover from 1956 to 1962, and in Chatham, N.J., and Morristown, N.J.

A graduate of West Virginia University School of Journalism, where she was a member of the Alpha Phi fraternity, Mrs. May worked as a staff feature writer for the Rossmoor News. In addition, she belonged to the Women's Club of Morristown, and was active in the League of Women Voters. She also served as former publicity chairman for the Thursday Morning Club of Madison, Republican Committeewoman for Middlesex County, N.J., and past president of the Rossmoor Garden Club, and was a member of the Deborah Chapter of Rossmoor as well.

She leaves her husband, Allan S. May; one son, Allan Shepard May of Parsippany, N.J.; two daughters, Priscilla M. (Mrs. Richard L.) Alden of Andover and Lucinda M. (Mrs. Vincent M.) West of Basking Ridge, N.J.; one brother, John A. Shepard of New Smyrna Beach, Fla.; two sisters, Harriet Solenburger of Victoria, Tex. and Nelle Ferry of Harrisonburg, Va.; and four grandchildren, Michael and Matthew Alden, and Lucinda and Andrew West.

Memorial services were held Monday morning at the A.S. Cole Funeral Home, 22 North Main St., Cranberry, N.J., with the Rev. Dr. Henry C. Kreutzer of Rossmoor Community Church officiating.

The family requests that memorial contributions be sent to the American Heart Association, Middlesex County Chapter, 9 South Adelaide Ave., Highland Park, N.J. 08904.

Ethel Merchant

Ethel (Malloy) Merchant, a resident of the Oceanside Nursing Home, Tybee Island, Georgia, formerly of Andover, died Jan. 5 at the nursing home following a long illness. She was 85.

A native of Ireland, Mrs. Merchant had been a resident of Andover for 48 years before she moved to Savannah, Georgia, in 1983. She had belonged to St.

Augustine's parish of Andover.

She leaves one daughter, Anne P. Monaghan of Savannah; two sons, Robert C. Merchant of Vero Beach, Fla., and William S. Merchant of Winchester; ten grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

A funeral Mass was offered and burial took place Monday in Savannah.

Clement R. Gordon

Clement R. Gordon of 256 North Main St., Andover, died Jan. 8 at Lawrence General Hospital. He was 64.

Born in Lawrence, Mr. Gordon was a Punchard High School graduate and a World War II veteran who had served in the U.S. Army. He was employed as a machine operator at Converse Rubber Co. in Andover for 29 years before he retired due to illness in 1972. A Methuen resident for many years, he had returned to Andover a year ago.

He leaves his wife, Lucille D. (Simard) Gordon; two daughters, Sharon M. Gordon and Debra A. Gordon, both of Lawrence; three sons, William A.R. and Mark A. Gordon, both of Lawrence, and David B. Gordon of Methuen; one sister, Margaret Burnham of Andover; three brothers, William M. Gordon of Atkinson, N.H., Alexander Gordon of Salem, N.H., and Walter Gordon of Missouri; one grandson, Jason Reid Gordon of Lawrence; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at the Pollard Funeral Home, 233 Lawrence St., Methuen. Burial will be in Spring Grove cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

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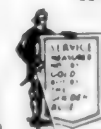
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Obituaries

George A. Carney

George A. Carney of 420 South Broadway, Lawrence, a former Andover resident and a decorated veteran of World War II, died Jan. 4 at Bon Secours Hospital, Methuen. He was 75.

An Andover native, born Aug. 31, 1909, Mr. Carney had lived in the Lawrence area throughout his life. He was a former printer and salesman for the Andover Press who later became a reference specialist for the Mitre Corp. of Bedford, where he worked until his retirement in 1975. He belonged to Sacred Heart parish of Lawrence. He served on active duty with the National Guard for five years during World War II, having joined the Guard in 1927, and retired with the rank of full colonel in 1962. He was awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service during the war.

He leaves his wife, Germaine L. (Hamel); three sons, George A., Jr., of Methuen, William J. of Windham, N.H., and Robert D. of North Andover; one daughter, Marilyn H. Carney of North Andover; one brother, Eugene Carney of Lawrence; six grandsons, and a number of nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was offered Monday morning at Sacred Heart Church. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Andover. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Scott Funeral Home, 298 South Broadway, Lawrence.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lawrence General Hospital and Bon Secours Hospital Joint Hospital Corporation, or to Lazarus House.

Louise Minicucci

Louise C. (Passaretti) Minicucci of 76 Lowell St., Andover, an Andover High School employee, died Jan. 5 at Bon Secours Hospital, Methuen. She was 56.

Born in Lawrence, Mrs. Minicucci attended Lawrence public schools. She had worked at Andover High School for 15 years. She belonged to Holy Rosary parish, as well as St. Rita's Sodality and Venerini's Women's Guild.

She leaves her husband, Peter P. Minicucci; two daughters, Paula (Mrs. Gary) Stedman of Jackson, N.J., and Carol (Mrs. Peter) Gianopoulos of Dracut; one sister, Mary Deshaies of Lowell; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at Holy Rosary Church. Burial was in St. Augustine's Cemetery, Andover. Funeral arrangements were under

the direction of the Cataudella Funeral Home, 160 Garden St., Lawrence.

Marie M. McCloskey

Marie (McGrath) McCloskey of 40 R Highland Ave., Salem, N.H., died Jan. 4 at Salem Hospital, Salem, N.H. She was 80.

Born in Salem, the daughter of the late John and Mary (Sheehan) McGrath, Mrs. McCloskey belonged to the Ladies of Merrimack Guild of the Infant Savior, Division 18 A.O.H., the North Shore Catholic Charities League Guild of St. William, the Propagation of the Faith of the Catholic Daughters of America, and the Boston Yacht Club. She enjoyed traveling and had been to Rome a number of times, where she had audiences with three popes.

She leaves three sons, John M. McCloskey, the Marblehead harbor master, Joseph D. McCloskey of Andover, and James F. McCloskey of Boston; one brother, Edward McGrath of Swampscott; two sisters, Irene Rockett of Marblehead and Agnes Fennell of Salem and Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.; ten grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews. She was also the mother of the late Don-

ald McCloskey and the late Robert McCloskey.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at the Murphy Funeral Home, 85 Federal St., Salem, N.H., followed by a funeral Mass at the Immaculate Conception Church.

Ella M. Gordon

Ella M. (Lemieux) Gordon, a resident of the Town Manor Nursing Home, Lawrence, and formerly of Andover, died Jan. 4 at the nursing home. She was 84.

A native of Canada, Mrs. Gordon was crowned Miss Massachusetts Beauty in 1919. She had been employed as a nurse at Fernald State Hospital until she retired.

The widow of James M. Gordon, she leaves two sons, Richard K. Gordon and Atty. Edward A. Gordon, both of Andover; one daughter, Marion E. LaGrasse of Andover; one brother, Edward H. Lemieux of Methuen; ten grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the M.A. Burke Funeral Home, 390 North Main St., Andover. Burial was in West Parish Cemetery, Andover.

Elena Weir

Elena (Gioseffi) Weir of 12 Everett St., Lawrence, died Jan. 6 at Lawrence General Hospital following a brief illness. She was 82.

Mrs. Weir was born in Barile, Italy, and came to Lawrence as a young girl. She attended Lawrence public schools, and later was employed in the spinning room at Arlington Mills. She belonged to St. Patrick's parish in Lawrence.

The widow of Elias Weir, she leaves two sons, Elias of Salem, N.H., and John of Methuen; two daughters, Barbara Koslowski of Lawrence and Elenor (Mrs. Raymond G.) Potvin of Andover; three brothers, Nicholas Gioseffi of Lawrence, Louis Gioseffi of Nashua, N.H., and Arthur Gioseffi of Billerica; 13 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was offered Wednesday morning at St. Patrick's Church. Burial was in Edson Cemetery, Lowell. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Pitocchelli and Langone Funeral Home, 133 Lawrence St., Lawrence.

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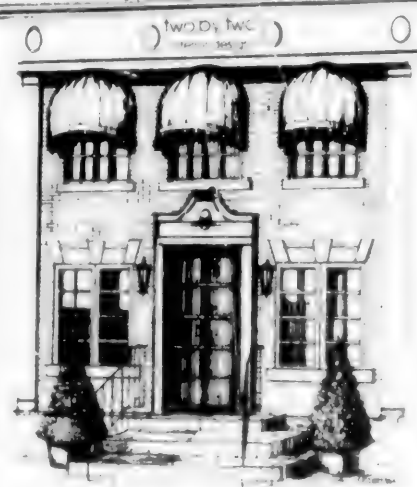
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Town Election Will Result In New Board Members

By Susan Rand

Town voters will decide seven local races in this year's March town elections but nomination papers for those seats aren't going fast. At THE TOWNSMAN's presstime yesterday five Andover residents had taken out nomination papers for the March 25 election.

Selectman William J. Dalton will seek re-election to his seat on the town's governing board. But Selectman Norma A. Gammon told THE TOWNSMAN this week she has decided not to campaign for the seat she has held for six years (see story elsewhere in this issue).

And on the School Committee one of the two members up for re-election has decided not to run for a second term. Robert F. Smith announced at Tuesday evening's school board meeting that he won't run this winter, citing a new business commitment which, he said, would leave him with not enough time to devote to the job.

"It is rewarding to me to look back over the past three years and see what we have accomplished," Smith told his colleagues on Tuesday.

School Committee member Susan T. Poore has not yet taken out nomination papers for re-election but David A. Birnbach, 2 Bellevue Road, a newcomer to town politics and a product of the public school system here, has filed for one of the spots on the committee.

On Monday, Poore told THE TOWNSMAN she wasn't sure whether she will seek re-election, saying she will make a decision soon.

Town Moderator James D. Doherty will again seek re-election to his one year post, as overseer of Town Meetings. And voters will decide who fills one year that remains on the late Thomas P. Eldred's Housing Authority term. Ronald Hajj was appointed to finish out last year of the term and will run to complete the last year of Eldred's term.

Also on the March ballot will be a seat on the Regional School Committee, a three-year post now filled by John P. Childs, who took out nomination papers but told THE TOWNSMAN on Tuesday that he has decided not to seek re-election for personal reasons. Interested in his position is Gerald Grasso who also has nomination papers for the committee post.

Voters will also elect trustees of the Punchard Free School, said Town Clerk Elden Salter.

Andover's registered voters will go to the polls from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., on election day, Monday, March 25, at the Dunn Gymnasium, at Andover High School. The voting places have been consolidated to one location; no one will vote at the Senior Citizen's Center, as they did for the presidential primary and elections, stressed Town Clerk Salter.

Nomination papers must be returned to Salter's office by Feb. 11, he said, with the signatures of at least 110 registered Andover voters. And residents have until Feb. 5 to register to vote in the town election.

For two seats on the Board of Selectmen the candidate to date is:

• William J. Dalton, 41, 9 Old South Lane, is running for re-election to his second term on the Board of Selectmen. An attorney, Dalton is general counsel for a number of companies including Channel and Bayfield, both of which are headquartered in Andover, as well as Dutton and Garfield, and Clarkdale Inc.

The selectman said he views a second term on the board as a chance to accomplish more than in his first three years, a substantial portion of which, Dalton said, is a "learning period."

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Warrant May Have 91 Items

Town Meeting voters may have upwards of 91 warrant articles to consider at this year's Town Meeting on Monday, April 1, but the contents of the articles are under wraps as town officials pour over them, examining each for its legality.

The warrant closed for submission of articles for the annual meeting on Monday and at first count Town Clerk Elden Salter told THE TOWNSMAN he thought 91 articles had been submitted.

But that may change, Salter quickly cautioned. Town Counsel Alfred L. Daniels must make sure each article is legal, he said, something the town clerk expects done by today.

Salter declined to give details on any of the articles until Daniels looks at them and the Town Clerk has a chance to go over each with Town Manager Kenneth Mahony.

Salter was working on the articles when he talked with THE TOWNSMAN on Tuesday. At that time he had read through some 65 of the submitted articles, fourteen of which he said are regular "boilerplate" features of every Town Meeting that are taken at the beginning of the session. Another eight articles are what Salter called conservation articles. There are sixteen streets that will be considered for acceptance by the town. And six changes in the town's bylaws for matters such as adding licensing of limousines to Andover's procedures will be heard by town voters.

Nine articles to rezone property were turned in as well as six to change the town's zoning bylaws, all of which will be considered before Town Meeting at public hearings held by the Planning Board, the first of which is set for Tuesday, Jan. 29, where the proposed parking bylaw will be discussed.

Finance Committee hearings will be scheduled for those articles for which funds need be appropriated.

Salter explained that after Daniels rules on the articles he and Mahony will put the articles in the order that they will be considered at Town Meeting.

Lastly, each town residence will receive a copy of the articles as they will be presented at Town Meeting, mailed out, by law, no later than ten days before Town Meeting.

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Tewksbury Woman Saved In Rescue At Haggetts Pond

By Susan Rand

A quick and well organized rescue by four Andover police officers and the tow dog officer may have saved Jane DeGregorio's life on Monday afternoon when she was pulled from the icy waters of Haggetts Pond.

It was 1:46 p.m. when Andover Police received the call from Barron's Country Store that someone had fallen through the ice on the pond, said Lt. Kevin Lynch, one of the first to arrive on the scene.

Lynch and Officer Joseph Oulette, both out in separate cruisers responded to the call as did Officer Robert Cronin and Det. Kevin Winters, on their way back to Andover from court in Lowell. Dog officer Wayne Nader, also nearby, heard the call and rushed to the pond. The five men arrived at the Haggetts Pond Road side of the pond a few minutes later, said Lynch.

They spotted DeGregorio, a Tewksbury resident, about 200 to 300 feet out, in water well over her head. She was hanging onto the edge of the ice and in the water up to her chest, Lynch said. The officers immediately went out onto the ice, which started cracking underfoot.

"We realized how unsafe it was, the ice was cracking at every step so we spread out," said Lynch. "If we ran we would have gone through the ice, there was no question in my mind." So the officers fanned out, sliding along the ice to reach DeGregorio.

Cronin and Winters reached DeGregorio, who is 52, first finding her in shock but able to talk. They estimated she had been in the freezing water for about ten to 15 minutes. Both men were lying on their stomachs, on either side of DeGregorio, reaching for her arms.

A round life preserver on a rope was passed out to DeGregorio but in her first attempt she couldn't grab onto it as the ice she was holding onto kept cracking out from under her.

"Our biggest fear was that she wasn't going to grab onto that life preserver," Oulette said. "At one point she said 'I can't do it' But Lt. Lynch yelled to her to grab on to the ring and try again. It seemed to help and she grabbed on to the ring."

DeGregorio held tight to the life preserver and Cronin and Winters helped drag her out of the water while Lynch, Oulette and Nader hauled on the rope and then carried the woman to the waiting Andover ambulance. Cronin and Winters had to crawl from the ice, said Lynch, because it was cracking as they tried to leave.

DeGregorio was rushed to Lawrence General Hospital where her family has requested that no information be given out about her condition. She was released on Monday.

Back at the police station, on Monday

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The men credited with Monday's Haggetts Pond rescue are, from left, police officers Det. Kevin Winters, Officer Robert Cronin, Lt. Kevin Lynch, Officer Joseph Oulette and Dog Officer Wayne Nader.

Townsmen Photo by Carl Russo

Selectman Stepping Down

By Sue Aucella Deacon

Norma Gammon, a six-year veteran of the Board of Selectmen, will not seek reelection to the board in March, she said Tuesday.

Following Monday night's board meeting, Gammon informed her colleagues of her decision not to run for a third term. She told the TOWNSMAN. That decision was a difficult one for her to reach, the selectman said, adding of her service on the board, "I'm going to miss it terribly."

Elected to the board in 1979 and re-elected in 1982, Gammon said she plans to travel a great deal with her family during the coming months, and would not be available to attend meetings regularly or keep in touch with townspeople.

"I believe that if you're going to do something, you should do it right," she explained. "If you really do this job properly, you've got to get to additional meetings (with other town boards, as a liaison to the selectmen), or at least keep in close contact with the chairmen."

But she hopes to continue working for the town, particularly in such areas as reuse of the original Town Hall and construction of a new wing at Memorial Hall Library. She has told the selectmen and town manager that "if they need some



Norma Gammon

help, they can always give me a call," Gammon said.

The selectman, who lives on Abbot Street, is an artist and former teacher. She grew up in Andover and started going to town meetings during her college years. Later she ran election campaigns for her brother, former selectman George Heseltine, and "followed his two terms very closely — I learned an awful lot."

But it was her work as chairman of Andover's Bicentennial Committee, formed in early 1975, that "got me out working with the people," Gammon said.

"We had fourteen separate committees working over a two-year period, averaging five meetings a week. I started to hear about problems happening in the town, and it just went from there -- I was asked to think about running for election."

Serving her two three-year terms "wasn't easy," she said, especially when her daughters Dainia, now 13, and Erin, 8, were younger. "They've grown up with it -- they know how to answer the phone the right way," she jokes.

Among the high points of her service, Gammon includes the 1982 hiring of Town Manager Kenneth Mahony. Searching for a manager to succeed Jared S.A. Clark was "a learning process and a very exciting process," she recalled, followed by the need to "educate the new manager to the ways of the town."

The new J. Everett Collins Performing Arts Center at Andover High School is another happy achievement, she said. "Certainly something we should be proud of." She cited the reuse of two town

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Northeast Senior District Concert

Four-hundred of the very best high school musicians and chorus members from 40 different schools in Northeastern Mass. will come together to perform in the 27th Annual Northeast Senior District Concert, sponsored by the Mass. Music Educators Association Saturday at 3 p.m. in the Collin's Center. The audience will be entertained by four groups: Concert and Jazz Band, Orchestra and Chorus performers. A total of 18 Andover High School students will take part in the concert, six musicians and 12 chorus members. Playing in the Jazz Band are: Dino Martone, Dan Messinger and Jim Pelz. Performing in the chorus from Andover are: Susan Ryan, Christine Craig, Susan Kachen, Michele Devoir, Kristen Craig, Julie Barbagallo, Michael O'Connell, Michael Bousch, Scott McAllister, Tom Hollenbeck, Greg Hopwood and Benjamin Choi. Providing their professional assistance for the concert are: Marc Keroack, A.H.S. band director, band manager for the concert, Keith Gould, A.H.S. choral director, who will manage the chorus for the concert, Steven Piermarini, instrumental instructor for the Andover schools, will assist as jazz band manager and Diana Kolben, Fine Arts program advisor for the Andover schools. Photos clockwise from upper left: A.H.S. senior, Kathy Malone rehearses with other concert band members for Saturday; Peter Hazzard, music instructor at Lawrence Academy, shows the art of conducting 111 musicians in the concert band; Robert Stevenson of Concord-Carlisle High School is reflected in instrument; A.H.S. junior, Kristen Duffy, plays the flute in the concert band; Jim Riley of Natick practices with the Timpani drums; Lisa Oberst, junior at A.H.S., follows the conductor while playing the clarinet.

Townsmen Photos by Carl Russo



Understanding Necessary

The offer of the Bernard Ristuccia family to provide the town with a skating rink has evolved into a multi-million dollar controversy within the town.

The Ristuccia family is desirous of providing the town with an indoor arena in memory of Elinor Ristuccia, wife and mother, who died this past spring.

West Andover residents are particularly concerned, even irate, that the suggested site for the arena is in the Cross Street area, or their back yard.

Members of the Andover Hockey Association, which has a considerable membership, are naturally in favor of such a facility, regardless of where it may be located in the community.

What is needed at this point in time is a little understanding of how municipal government works, as well as what the actual status of the gift to the town is.

The West Andover people have been upset since the proposal was first mentioned in early December. There is a natural tendency to object to a facility of this size and nature in a neighborhood setting, with the concerns for traffic, effect on the surrounding area, etc.

Such reaction could be anticipated in view of an organized group from the same area a few years ago objecting to the placement of playground equipment in the same Cross Street, town-owned property for the summer use of area youngsters.

What should be borne in mind is that the Cross Street location is but one of three being considered by the town, the others being an abandoned

gravel pit and at the high school campus.

What also should be thoroughly understood is that no decision has been made on the proposal by any town agency.

Selectmen Monday night voted only to place an article in the warrant concerning site selection.

Based on several telephone calls from West Andover residents this was taken as tacit approval and acceptance of the arena.

Andover's selectmen have not, can not and will not accept or reject this gift. They are powerless to act in any way until such time as town meeting instructs them to act and also makes a decision relative to a site.

Obviously, due to Andover's town meeting form of government, the arena will not rise in West Andover. Residents there are already organized sufficiently to pack town meeting and reject the site, no doubt vacating the town meeting floor immediately following the vote, leaving the adoption of millions of dollars in budgets and projects to residents concerned with the town as a whole.

There, too, is the possibility that the Ristuccia family will withdraw their offer to the town altogether, since they also have sites under consideration in Wilmington where their businesses are located.

What is needed at present in examining the overall proposal for Andover residents is a little temperate, unemotional understanding of where the proposal stands as the community heads toward an annual town meeting in April. That status remains one of examination and evaluation only at present.

Down The Years With The Townsman

75 Years Ago — January 1910

Maud Livingston of the Haggett's Pond district, who is a pupil at Punchard, is staying at 22 Maple avenue during the severest of the winter weather.

Several young people of Andover enjoyed the coasting on Central street last Tuesday evening.

On Wednesday evening a party of young people of Andover took advantage of the sleighing and enjoyed a sleighing party.

William L. Ropes was one of the victims of the icy pavements last Saturday. He fell in front of Lowe's drug store, breaking his wrist in two places.

A general teachers' meeting is called for Monday afternoon at four o'clock, to consider the advisability of organizing a Public School Teachers' association.

Miss Flora B. Lindsay sailed from New York on Saturday for Havana, Cuba, where she is to play with a New York orchestra during an engagement which will last several weeks.

It was most natural that President Taft should go to Yale for his new appointee to the position of National Forester. That institution has done a most important work in its School of Forestry to develop an interest and attract the attention of the keen, alert young men of the country to this new field of endeavor. It was also natural if the President went to Yale he should select from the men who have made good in the Yale School of Forestry, a son of Andover in the person of Henry S. Graves. Andover is as much honored by this choice as is Yale University.

50 Years Ago — January 1935

Things don't look so bright for the young people of this town, Superintendent of Schools Sanborn declared at the School Committee meeting last night. He has been preparing the school calendar for the 1935-36 school year, and he has found that three of the holidays fall on Saturdays! Columbus Day this year falls

on a Saturday, and next year Washington's Birthday and Memorial Day also come on Saturdays. And what in the world good is a holiday if it's on a day when you don't have to go to school anyway?

A budget for 1935 totalling \$153,932 was adopted at the meeting of the School Committee last night. This is less than the \$155,022 asked by the committee last year but higher than the appropriation of \$148,000 granted at town meeting. The balance for last year after the books were closed was \$31.65, but one small bill under \$2.00 was received late and another larger one is not yet settled, with the result that the actual balance will probably be under five dollars.

A bill calling for the widening of the highway between Harding Street and the Andover Lawrence line, and the construction and maintenance of a sidewalk between the same points has been filed at the State House by Representative Thomas J. Lane. The highway at present

from Harding Street to Stimson's bridge is three lanes wide.

25 Years Ago — January 1960

An end to restrictions that may have kept some small, desirable industries from locating here — by removal of the ten-acre lot size requirement in the zoning bylaw — has been recommended by the Industrial and Development Commission. At its meeting Jan. 7, the IDC voted to ask the Planning Board to consider this change, and to also restrict the industrial areas for that specific purpose, rather than allow residential growth in them. The group contemplates no change in the size of the two industrial areas in West Andover and Lowell Junction during the coming year.

The battle of the buck between the Teachers' Association and School Committee continued in the sparring stage this week, as the Association Salary Committee prepared a new request for

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For Those Of Us Who Are Older

By Janet D. Lake

The January Birthday Party has been rescheduled for next Monday, Jan. 14. If you have a January birthdate, let the staff know and you can attend as an honored guest. If you do not have a January birthdate, you are invited to attend to help make the party a happy one. It will begin at 12:30 p.m.

All town offices will be closed Tuesday, Jan. 15, in honor of Martin Luther King's birthday. This closing includes the senior center.

All classes and activities at the senior center will be cancelled on any day Andover schools are closed because of inclement weather. There will be no hot lunch on those days, but the Council on Aging office will be open even though there are no classes or activities. It is no day off for the staff, so you can still call them if you need information.

Need help with your income tax? Starting the first week in February, a knowledgeable member of VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) will be at the senior center to help you. You must make an appointment, but they will be at the center Monday through Thursday, Feb. 4-7. Call now to set up your time.

All residents of Andover 60 or over should have received the latest issue of the senior center newsletter. In it you will find a complete listing of forthcoming classes at the center. Please look it over carefully and then, on next Wednesday, Jan. 16, come to the center and register for those of your choice. Registration begins at 9 a.m. Some of the classes fill quickly, so don't delay. There is a wide span of interesting activities to give you meaningful activities for the winter. Come, meet new people, renew old acquaintances and have fun learning a new skill.

January 30 is an in-service day in the schools and there will be no hot lunch program at the center, but you can get tickets for a special party to be held at the center. Winter Carnival, at 12 noon to greet Jack Frost, king of the carnival, and then have a roast beef dinner with snow-flaked potatoes, vegetable, frosted garden salad and dessert, followed by music for your listening and dancing pleasure—all for \$4. Get your tickets at the center now.

The next mini-clinic will be held January 22 at Andover Commons. No matter what the location of the clinic is, it is open to everyone, but by appointment only. Appointments must be made through the Andover Health Department.



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TUESDAY: No School. Holiday.

WEDNESDAY: Pancakes w/maple syrup, sausage patty, apple sauce, chocolate cake, milk. or Chicken cutlet on roll w/mayo and lettuce, buttered vegetable, potato sticks, chocolate cake, milk.

THURSDAY: Spaghetti w/meatsauce, tossed salad, bread and butter, pudding w/topping, milk. or Beef and baconburger w/tomato, lettuce and mayonnaise, buttered vegetable, potato chips, pudding w/topping, milk.

FRIDAY: Tuna salad sandwich, buttered vegetable, potato puffs, catsup, peanut butter cookies, milk. or Meatball sub w tomato

sauce, buttered vegetable, potato puffs, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Junior Highs

MONDAY: Hot dog on roll, baked beans, corn chips, pudding w/topping, milk. or Bologna and cheese or hot pastromi sub, buttered vegetable, corn chips, pudding w/topping, milk.

TUESDAY: No School. Holiday.

WEDNESDAY: Veal cutlet w/brown sauce, rice pilaf, buttered vegetable, bread and butter, fudge brownie, milk. or Ham and cheese or meatball sub, buttered vegetable, potato sticks, fudge brownie, milk.

THURSDAY: Old fashion beef stew w/garden vegetables, bread and butter, jello w/topping, milk. or Cold cut or steak and cheese sub, buttered vegetable, potato chips, jello w/topping, milk.

FRIDAY: Make your own tacos w/ meat, shredded lettuce, tomato and cheese, buttered vegetable, oatmeal cookie, milk. or Fish-wich sandwich or veal cutlet sub, buttered vegetable, potato sticks, oatmeal cookie and milk.

Senior Citizen

MONDAY: Chicken croquettes w/supreme sauce, carrots, whipped potatoes, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

TUESDAY: No School. Holiday.

WEDNESDAY: Cup of soup, cheeseburger or hamburger on roll, potato chips, dessert, beverage.

THURSDAY: Chicken a la king, whipped potatoes, buttered peas, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

FRIDAY: Baked fish, French fries, buttered vegetable, catsup and tartar sauce, bread and butter, dessert, beverage, fruit cup.

St. Augustines

MONDAY: Frankfurt w/roll, chocolate cake.

TUESDAY: No School. Holiday.

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THURSDAY: Lasagna, fruit.

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Company May Fight Zoning Board Decision In Court

By Susan Rand

Without an addition to their manufacturing building Central Industrial Laboratories was considering moving from Andover to another, larger location. But the company's officers may decide to stay in town and fight in court to overturn a Zoning Board of Appeals ruling denying them permission to add onto their One Connector Road plant.

The Central Labs request was denied for lack of a clear majority vote approving the variance at the board's meeting Thursday, Jan. 3 when the Zoning Board vote of three in favor of the petition to two against was reversed from an earlier tentative vote of 4 to 1, which would have granted the variance for Central Labs and allowed their addition to be constructed. Under zoning rules a petitioner receiving less than a majority of four votes for a variance request is denied the variance.

A preliminary vote on requests for variances and special permits is taken at a deliberation meeting held after members visit sites, usually the Saturday following their Thursday evening meeting. At the Saturday, Nov. 8, deliberation meeting following a visit to the Connector Road facility the board voted 4 to 1, with Chairman Wesley Whitney casting the only dissenting vote, to deny the Central Labs request. Jane Griswold, Ernest Hall, Roger Collins and Elaine Katz voted to grant the variance. But Griswold changed her vote at last Thursday's ZBA meeting and joined Whitney in opposing the petition, changing the vote from an approval to a denial.

Central Labs needs to add more machinery to its metal plating operating or risk losing business to competitors, Vice-President Peter Richards told the ZBA at the public hearing on Nov. 6.

When contacted by THE TOWNSMAN on Friday, Richards had not heard of the board's denial and was surprised by the vote turn-around. He said company officials would have to consider leaving Andover.

In a telephone interview on Monday Richards called the decision "heartless," saying the company's attorney Her-

bert L. Schultz, of Lawrence, was "outraged" by the decision. Richards said the company would appeal the decision in court.

Schultz said he thought the petitioners showed a hardship when the case was presented in November.

"The petition warranted the board making a favorable decision," Schultz said. "I think the officers of the corporation will instruct me to file an appeal."

The attorney said he hadn't yet received notification of last Thursday evening's denial, nor had he met with Central Labs officials.

If the company takes the town board to court the appeal will be filed in Essex County Superior Court, Schultz explained, but a hearing date may not be set for two months, at the earliest, he added.

This was not the first time Central Labs went before the Zoning Board because of the odd size of the land on which they built their manufacturing plant. Back in 1980, when the company moved to Andover from the Lawrence Industrial Park, they requested a variance to construct the building closer to side and rear lot lines than town zoning laws allow. The ZBA said no to the request then and Richards explained that they compensated for the loss of floor space by adding a second floor and work space in the basement to the building.

Hall and Katz weren't present at the Zoning Board's final vote on Central Labs last Thursday but Chairman Whitney told board members their opinions on the variance request were known.

Griswold said Richards knew of the restrictions of the land when the building went up in 1980.

"He's taking advantage of what he knew was a bad scene," she said at Thursday's meeting.

Central Labs works mostly on defense industry products including parts for the space shuttle and B-1 bomber. Much of their work involves metal plating for ball bearings from New Hampshire Ball Bearings, in Laconia, N.H.

Gammon

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mer wings of the old East Junior High as new town and school offices' as another highlight.

On the down side, traffic problems in Ballardvale "continue to get worse" as Andover fights on for a Lowell Junction interchange off Route 93, she said: "I don't understand why we can't cut the red tape," she commented, referring to state and federal involvement in the would-be project.

Gammon described the Board of Selectmen as "a really good working board. For the last three to five years, all of us have worked so well together." Each selectman knows many townspeople, she said, and together the board members "have a good feeling for what people's feelings are. There's a good feel for the pulse of the town."

She plans to "get back into my painting" and spend more time with her daughters, the selectman said. And since her husband, Donald Gammon, recently sold his business, the family will take some time to enjoy traveling — to Florida, the West Coast and Hawaii in the near future, and later to England — before Donald settles into a new venture.

Meanwhile, Selectman Gammon has not ruled out the possibility that she may run for office again someday: "There's always other times," she said. "I could come back."

Administrators Must Close \$1.4 Million Budget Gap

By Sue Aucella Deacon

The town manager will not release his Fiscal Year 1986 budget until Friday, Jan. 18, but at this point town and school officials seem to be looking at a \$1.4 million gap between the budget they'd like to have and the budget that Andover can afford.

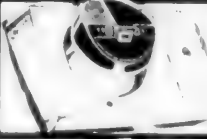
The town will see an increase of at least five percent in revenues available to fund the fiscal '86 town and school budgets, Finance and Budget Director Anthony Torrisi reported last week.

However, department heads have requested budget increases ranging from 10 to 18 percent, Torrisi said — adding up to a deficit of about \$700,000 on both the town side and the school side.

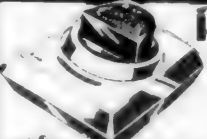
Town Manager Kenneth Mahony hopes to see next year's revenue increase beefed up to seven percent, the budget director said, while the departmental requests have already been trimmed to a 12 percent increase.

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*Girls Fall To Billerica*

The Andover High School girl's basketball team was unable to maintain control of the game in the second half, forcing them to defeat against Billerica 54-36 at home last week. Andover had a 12-10 lead after one quarter and a halftime lead of three, but turnovers and fouls by the Warriors helped Billerica to take over the game. Photos clockwise from upper left: Sue Sellers (15) and teammate go for the loose ball; Captain Kathy Neaves drives towards the net; Kay Levesque gains control of loose ball and takes it away; Mandy Duggan takes a layup in the first half; Coach Kennedy signals some instructions to her players on the floor in the second half; Shawna McCloskey lines up jump shot from the corner for two points.

Townsmen Photos by Carl Russo

Warrior Hoopsters Tied For Top

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High boys' varsity basketball team continued its early-season success last week, nudging Billerica 53-49 to leave the Golden Warrior hoopsters at 4-1 overall and tied for first place in the Merrimack Valley Conference Large School Division (2-0).

AHS returned to MVC play earlier this week against Haverhill, and tomorrow night will be in action against its talented counterpart from Lowell.

The Andover-Lowell basketball game is set for 7:45 p.m. at the Dunn Gymnasium, with the JV prelim scheduled for 6:30 o'clock.

Lowell is the defending Eastern Mass. Division I North champ, defending MVC Large School co-titlist, and the Red Raiders will enter the game riding a perfect 6-0 record.

Led by veterans Ramon Rivera, Scott "Swift" Stapleton and James Slattery, along with transfer student Paul Bolduc, Lowell is off to an impressive start that includes a stunning 77-72 victory over Cambridge Rindge & Latin in the Greater-Lowell Holiday Tournament championship game.

LHS is coached by Andover resident Charlie Ryan, last year's Massachusetts District 1 "Coach of the Year."

Junior guard Tim Perry heads the Golden Warriors' basketball scoring parade with 111 points in five games (22.2 average).

Perry Hot

Tim Perry was sizzling all night in the 53-49 triumph over Billerica at the Indians' gym, accounting for more than half the Warriors' points as he poured through 29.

Both teams were sluggish at the start, but BMHS point-guard Gary DiSarcina sparked the home team to a 14-10 lead after one quarter.

Andover trimmed the deficit to 23-22 at halftime, as junior forward Doug Rotondi and Perry led the way offensively. Rotondi also blocked several shots in the period, and tossed in a buzzer-beating 30-foot bomb to pull the Warriors within one point.

Perry took over in the third quarter as AHS raced to a nine-point lead (40-31), outscoring Billerica 18-8.

The Indians chipped away in the final quarter and tied the game with just over a minute remaining.

But junior guard Chris Bartley calmly swished both ends of a 1-and-1 to put the Golden Warriors ahead to stay.

The last bucket came as Andover broke the Billerica press, Rotondi getting the ball at mid-court and firing a long pass to senior forward Bill Weidman for the insurance lay-up.

There was also a clutch steal by junior guard Mark Hebeisen down the stretch to preserve the victory.

Rotondi followed Perry in the scoring column with 10 points, and he also blocked a half-dozen shots. Hebeisen

added 4 points, Weidman 4, Bartley two free throws and Eric Deloury a pair of foul shots.

Senior Tom Lutz, who played most of the way despite suffering from a stomach virus, netted just two points but was strong off both boards and a key performer on defense.

Lutz contained Billerica's 6-5 center Mike Dagle, limiting him to 12 points and 11 rebounds, while Rotondi and Weidman were able to stymie junior forward Tom Foley (10 points) as well.

Ryser Concerned

"I was really concerned about our slow start," said coach Tom Ryser. "I felt we could play with Billerica and take the game, if we executed according to our scouting reports."

"Both teams came out lacksadaisical. It was the first game for both of us after tough tournaments, but I'd warned our kids all week that we had to sweep Billerica, split with Lowell, take Central the second time around, and beat the Chelmsfords and Haverhills if we wanted to be a contender."

"Our practices last week were very sluggish," continued Ryser. "It had to be a post-tournament letdown. You switch from one schedule, almost professional in nature with three games in five nights, back to the regular in-school routine."

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Trivia

On Sunday, Feb. 3, the National Honor Society Committee of the Friends of Lowell High School will hold a Trivial Pursuit Tournament in the high school cafeteria, beginning with registration at noon. Teams of from one to five people, of any age, are invited to participate. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team and to the team chosen during a random drawing.

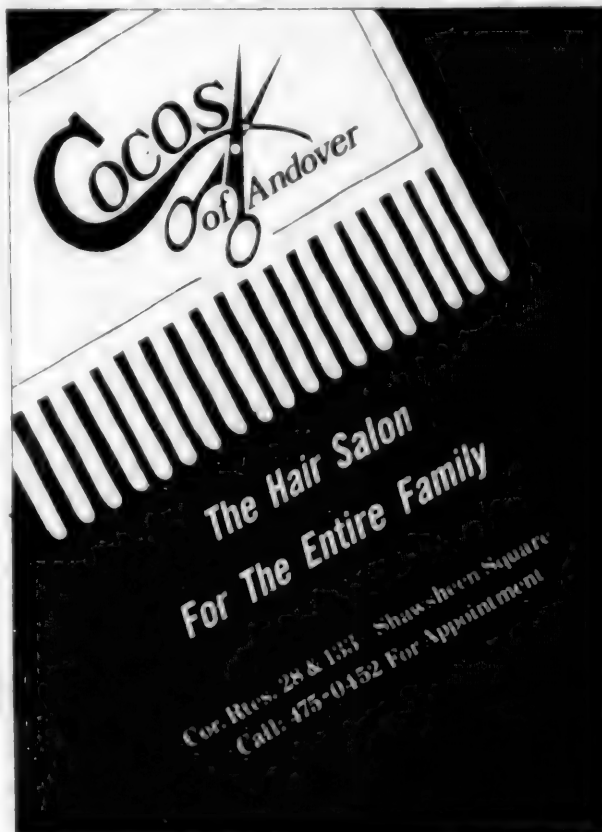
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Girls Hoop League Results

St. Robert's C stopped St. Augustine's B 12-2, St. Robert's A nipped St. Augustine's A 12-8 and defending champion Ballardvale United overwhelmed St. Robert's B 34-2 as action resumed last week at the West Elementary gym following the holiday respite in the seven-team Intermediate Girls Division of the Andover Church Basketball League.

The results left Ballardvale United (3-0) and St. Robert's A (2-0) as the only undefeated teams following week three of play.

St. Robert's C, 12-2

St. Robert's C used a tough defense to gain this win over St. Augustine's B.

Joanne McNamara netted two baskets and Diane Castignoli one to put SRC ahead 6-0 after one period and they were never threatened thereafter. It was 8-2 at halftime and 10-2 after three quarters.

McNamara finished game-high for the victors with 6 points, Sheila Camillus had 4, Castignoli added 2 while Kathryn Grzybinski, Grace Perry and Amy Redgate provided steady floor play.

Amy Cunningham provided all of the St. A's scoring with one basket. Karen Tracey, Karen Ragonese and Kelly Walsh also played well.

St. Robert's A, 12-8

Coach Jack Slavin's club remained undefeated as they handed a spirited St. Augustine's A team their first loss of the season.

The two clubs each registered a basket per period through two quarters. Dawn Bernard scored the only bucket in the third stanza to give SRA a 6-4 advantage. The winners then netted six consecutive points in the fourth quarter to ice the victory.

Bernard led the St. Robert's scorers with 6 points, Kara Slavin, Monica Davis and Maureen Maginnis had 2 points each while Michelle DiStefano and Katie O'Sullivan backboned the defense.

Maura Everett was a constant threat for St. A's, scoring all eight points, while Nancy Hoffman, Martha Vehlow and Beth Everett also played well. The St. A cause was weakened when strong rebounder Cathy Daly was not available for the game.

Ballardvale United, 34-2

High scoring Jodi Jangro poured through 20 points to lead a powerful Ballardvale United squad over a scrappy St. Robert's B team.

Jangro netted three baskets and Lynda Banzi, Nicole Ricci and Laura Hebeisen pocketed solo buckets to put BU ahead 12-0 after one period and they coasted the rest of the way.

Ricci followed Jangro in the scoring column with 8 points, Hebeisen added 4, Banzi delivered 2 while Lindsey Sweeney and Lisa Hayes contributed excellent floor games.

Lynn Baker put St. Robert's B on the board with a third-quarter basket while Leslie Wilkinson, Patricia Murphy and Christene Spignesi gave strong efforts all the way.



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Hoopsters

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"We also lost some intensity last Wednesday when Perry took an elbow to the head (six stitches) and missed most of the practice. That afternoon was a flop, and then we spent most of Thursday covering the Billerica scouting report.

"When the lethargy carried over to the first period of the Billerica game we could have been in trouble, but we were fortunate to catch them on a bad night in their own gym.

"Having a key player like Lutz sick didn't help, either," continued Ryser. "We spotted him in the first half, but he played most of the second half and did a strong job defensively.

"We started to take control in the third quarter. I didn't feel we had to run against them. We knew their offense and how to defend against it. Once again it was just a matter of execution.

"I had flashbacks to last year in the fourth period," stated Ryser. "We had a nine-point lead, looked like we could stretch it to 15-20, but then the kids threw away the game plan.

"We started taking bad shots and standing around. Slowly the lead disappeared, and I had visions of last season when we lost so many close games at the end. Games we shouldn't have lost because we had the other team well-scouted.

"We don't want to fall into that same pattern of having the game in our grasp and then losing it.

"I felt we played very solid defense. For the first time this year — when the primary defense broke down — the second defense was there. One time Billy Weidman came from the weak side to help out, taking a charge, and another time Doug Rotondi came from the weak side to block a shot. That's the kind of team defensive concept we're looking for.

"Rotondi, Lutz and Weidman controlled the boards, and Timmy (Perry) played like he was from another planet on offense."

The Golden Warriors also received some quality minutes from Craig Hammond and Nick Lembo.

JV and Freshmen

The Andover JVs squared their record at 1-1 with a low-scoring 32-20 victory in the prelim.

Andover grabbed a 19-9 halftime lead and was never seriously challenged in the second half.

Once again the Warriors received solid efforts from Rich Bourdelais, Steve Redgate, Mike Burke, Leo Gravel, Nick Coon, Kurt Burzlaff, Bob Manning, Mark Tucker and Darren Currier.

Also playing well in brief stints were guard Eric Goodman and forward Jon Daly.

The Andover West freshmen improved to 2-0 with a 58-37 conquest of the Billerica frosh (0-2).

John Perry was immense for West with a game-high 37 points, equalling the output of the entire Billerica team, while other solid efforts were contributed by Sean Bergan, Chris Concemi, Paul DeMarco and Devon Arsenault.

Women Runners To Meet

Fast Women will begin its fourth year with a meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the North Andover-Andover Y.M.C.A. The club's coach and advisor, Peter Brigham, will speak on winter conditioning.

For the next three months, Fast Women will sponsor three winter activities designed to help women begin an aerobics program and improve established runners.

FW is holding an aerobics course at the Salem Racquetball Club, Salem, N.H., Saturday mornings from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., beginning January 19, for women who would like to begin an aerobics program or keep in shape over the winter. The ten-week program will be instructed by Robin Carragher.

FW will also sponsor speed workouts for runners to improve their running style, speed and strength. The workouts will be conducted by Brigham from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., beginning January 16, every Wednesday.

The club will sponsor several cross-country ski day trips through nearby reservations in January and February.

If interested in attending any of the activities, sign-up at its first session or at the January 15 meeting. These activities are free to FW members; there is a fee for non-members for the

aerobics and speed workouts.

FW is open to women of all ages and abilities. The club is structured to provide members with instruction, health and nutrition information and with friends to run with. New members are welcome. A calendar of the club's winter activities may be obtained at the North Andover-Andover Y.M.C.A., Haverhill Street, Andover.

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Knicks Edge 76ers

In the third week of the Andover Youth Basketball League, the Knicks edged the 76ers 55-49, the Celtics beat the Rockets 47-32 and the Cavs overpowered the Lakers 52-28.

Eric Tatro led the Knicks with 15 points, Jim Regan had 14 and Jim Flowers had 12. Everyone on the 76ers hit the scoring column. Mark O'Sullivan scored 10 points, Matt Dorsey scored 9, Stefan Tomlinson 8, Todd MacAllister and John Dorsey 7 each. Jim Tacy led the fast break for the Knicks and also threw in nine points.

The Celtics, behind the sharp-shooting Mark Russell (17 points) and the rebounding of Patrick Burns, were finally able to catch and pass the stubborn Rockets in the second half. Steve Hanley was the assist leader for the winners. The Rockets were led by Jim Lambers with 7 points and Darren Rice and Greg Kinski with 6 points each.

Josh Yezeski scored 11 points, Steve Howe 10 and Doug Howe 9, as the Cavs extended their undefeated streak to three. Curt Brucato and Tom Murray each had eight points for the Lakers.

The Cav's won again in the fourth week to stay unbeaten. Their victim was the 76ers with a score of 62-44. Doug Howe pumped through 18 points, Steve Durso had 16 and Yezeski and Brendon McQue had 8 apiece. Matt Dorsey led the 76ers with 16, Stefan Tomlinson had 11 and Jim Phieffer had 10.

The Knicks continued in second place with a 57-36 win over the Rockets. Jim Regan (20) and Jim Flowers (16) led the scoring for the Knicks while Darren Rice (9) and Brett Yannalfo (8) were the Rocket leaders. The assist leader for the winners was Jim Tacy (3 points) and the rebound leader for the Rockets was Jim Lambers (6 points).

The Lakers evened their record at 2-2 with a hard-fought 49-45 win over the Celtics. Tom Murray and Curt Brucato led the winners with 16 points, followed by Derek Brucato 10 and Kevin Mayberry 5. The Celtics got scoring from every member of their team with Mark Russell getting 13, Steve Hanley 12 and Patrick Burns 6.

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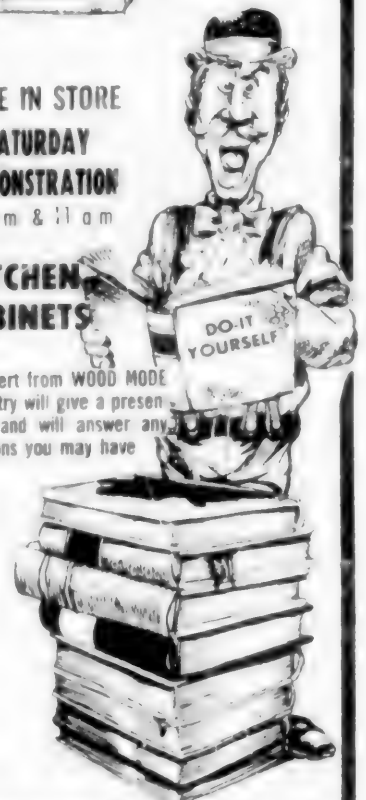
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Warrior Icemen Split Pair

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High hockey team split a pair of games last week to remain above the .500 mark, trimming non-league foe Weston 7-4 at Merrimack College and dropping a tough 5-4 decision to perennial Merrimack Valley League power Billerica at the Hallenborg Pavilion.

Those results left the Golden Warriors at 3-2-0 overall, including 0-2-0 in the MVHL.

The performance at Billerica was the best by an Andover team against the Indians in more than a dozen years, BMHS having never lost to the Warriors over a span that has seen them annex 11 league titles in 13 seasons.

Trailing 5-1 entering the final period, AHS rode the excellent goaltending of junior Bob Pothier and the offensive work of Chris Sapuppo, Dave Bartle and Shane Smith to the near upset.

Andover returned to league play last night against Haverhill (1-4-0), and tomorrow night the Golden Warriors engage a strong Lowell High squad (3-1-2) at Merrimack College (7:30 p.m. faceoff).

Lowell's only loss to date was a 1-0 squeaker against Chelmsford, and the Red Raiders also tied Billerica 2-2.

LHS is backboned by outstanding senior goaltender Steve Janas (1.50 goals against average), while the offense is led by Jay Freitas (eight goals in six games).

The balanced Andover offense is led by Danny Moynihan (5-1-6 points), George Heseltine (1-5-6), Shane Smith (4-1-5), Dave Bartle (3-2-5) and Capt. Tom Marjerison (2-2-4).

Andover, 7-4

After a first period shootout, which saw coach Charlie Donovan's squad emerge with a 4-3 lead, the game settled down with Andover dominating most of the final two stanzas.

Shane Smith opened the scoring just 37 seconds into the contest, assist to senior defenseman John Jones, and less than two minutes later Dave Bartle converted a Shaun Bateson pass for a 2-0 lead.

Smith's second goal of the contest at 5:01, set up by Tom Marjerison, made it 3-0.

Weston's Chris Watson, who finished with a three-goal hat trick, netted rapid-fire goals six seconds apart during the 10th minute to trim the Wildcats' deficit to 3-2.

Senior forward Jeff Kennedy retaliated for Andover 26 seconds later, assisted by Jeff McNeil and Brian Costello, but Weston got one back with only 22 seconds left in the period.

The Golden Warriors found some breathing room in the second period on goals by McNeil (3:29) and Danny Moynihan (unassisted at 6:00), Kennedy and Costello helped out on McNeil's first of the year.

Moynihan made it 7-3 at 1:45 of the third period, Marjerison collecting the assist, and Watson completed his hat trick midway through the period to wrap up the offense.

Andover outshot Weston 13-11, 8-5 and 11-4 by periods for a 32-20 overall edge.

Junior Greg Najjar worked the first half of the game in net, permitting three goals, while Bob Pothier tended goal the second half and surrendered just one goal.

Coach Donovan was pleased with the work of defensemen John Marocco, Dave Curtis and Earl Abdo.

Billerica, 5-4

Andover almost pulled this one off, thanks to a strong finish, but Billerica (3-2-1) was able to hold the Golden Warriors at bay just long enough to escape with the victory.

Bob Pothier enabled AHS to climb back into it with exceptional goaltending over the game's final 22 minutes. Faced with 13 shots he stopped 12, including three point-blank Billerica bids in the third period.

The Indians jumped ahead 2-0 in the first period, defenseman Joe Gualtieri depositing a 50-foot powerplay slapshot at 5:39 and All-Scholastic rearguard Bob Stickney drilling a 45-footer through a screen five minutes later.

The score jumped to 4-0 less than six minutes into the middle session, powerplay goals by Ed Burke (10-footer from slot) and Stickney (45-foot slapshot) doing the damage.

Andover had trouble getting shots on net virtually all night, Chris Sapuppo's 40-foot slapper the first threat to Dave Melvin at 8:30 of the opening period.

Things shifted slightly in Andover's favor late in the second period, Danny Moynihan scoring off a faceoff to Melvin's right during a 5-on-3 Golden Warriors' powerplay.

Mike Moroconi got that one back for the Indians with the clubs skating 4-on-4 in the closing seconds of the stanza, giving the home team a seemingly-comfortable 5-1 advantage.

BMHS, hit with 12 minor penalties in the game, began unraveling at 3:03 of the final period when Sapuppo threw the puck out front from the left boards and watched it deflect off another player's leg.

Dave Bartle cut the Andover deficit to 5-3 at the 7:26 mark, unleashing a 30-foot slapshot that broke off Melvin's stick. George Heseltine was credited with the assist.

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Andover Pee Wee B's

By P. Owens

The Pee Wee B's started the new year off with a bang, playing three hard-fought contests. They traveled to New Hampshire to play the very tough Manchester Flames. Although the 9-2 score (goals by Dan Feeley and Mike Restuccia) sound like a one-sided contest, nothing is farther from the truth. The hard work by Andover, including steady performances by Tim Fox, Frank Morey and Joe Howard, kept the two teams equal on skating abilities.

Andover opened the new year at Danvers against the number one team from Peabody. The final score was 5-0.

Ice men

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Pothier then stepped center-stage, robbing Billerica's Matt Hernon twice within an 80-second span. The first time Hernon broke in alone on the left side and tried to stuff the disc home, and the second time his point-blank wrist shot hit Pothier's stick and popped over the net.

Shane Smith made it 5-4 less than four minutes from the finish, connecting on the power-play. The senior forward's 15-foot forehead shot beat Melvin high to the glove side, settling in the net just under the crossbar.

Pothier again kept it close less than a half-minute later, blocking a chest-high Bob Stickney shot after the junior defenseman stole a clearing pass in the right faceoff circle.

It was Melvin's turn to come up big moments later, Bartle moving in close and snapping off a quick shot that Melvin smothered.

Andover had a 4-on-3 powerplay opportunity with less than three minutes to go, but the Indians received some effective penalty-killing from Moroconi, Gualtieri and Tom Ford.

A Golden Warriors' penalty with 67 seconds to go made it impossible for Donovan to pull Pothier for an extra skater in the closing minute.

In addition to Pothier and the goalscorers, Andover players who turned in strong efforts included John Jones, Glenn Allard, Tom Marjerison, Mark Neaves, Shaun Bateson and Steve Donovan.

Andover Scoring (5 games)

G-A-Pt

Dan Moynihan	5-1-6
George Heseltine	1-5-6
Shane Smith	4-1-5
Dave Bartle	3-2-5
Tom Marjerison	2-2-4
Jeff Kennedy	2-1-3
Mark Neaves	1-2-3
Chris Sapuppo	1-2-3
Glenn Allard	2-0-2
Jeff McNeil	1-1-2
Shaun Bateson	1-1-2
Brian Costello	0-2-2
Steve Donovan	0-1-1
John Gangi	0-1-1
John Jones	0-1-1
Matt Young	0-1-1

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The first, on Jan. 27, is an overview of corporate public affairs. Andrew B. Gollner, a political science professor at Concordia University to Montreal and author of "Social Change and Corporate Strategy: The Expanding Role of Public Affairs," will discuss what we do and do not know about corporate affairs.

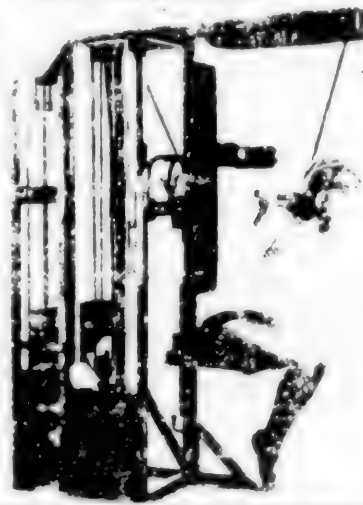


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Arsenault Sparks Vale Win

By Jim Arnold

A last-minute Colin Arsenault bucket boosted Ballardvale United to a 15-14 win over Temple Emanuel, high lighting this week's Andover Church Basketball League Junior Division play.

The Arsenault connection stymied a determined Temple comeback and lifted the Ballardvale season ledger to 2-1.

In other games, St. Augustine's F captured their first victory of the campaign, while St. Augustine's B, St. Augustine's C and St. Robert's B remained undefeated. That first-place traffic jam was unsnarled last night, however, as St. Robert's B and St. Augustine's D squared off in a game played after TOWNSMAN presstime.

Ballardvale, 15-14

Al Shenker's basket and two free throws paced Temple to an early 4-0 advantage. But coach Dick Heidt's Ballardvale five caught fire in the second period, canning 10 points. Wendy Darling led the surge with a pair of scores, while Colin Arsenault, Tim Grogean and T.J. Weston knocked home solo baskets.

The teams traded scores in the third stanza which ended with Ballardvale on top 13-8. That's when Shenker took matters into his hands, striking for six straight markers to put Temple ahead 14-13.

However, Arsenault was sprung loose for a lay-up in the waning seconds to give Ballardvale the victory.

Arsenault led Ballardvale with 6 points, Darling connected for 5, Grogean and Weston contributed 2 each. Jason Price was the defensive stalwart.

Shenker hit for 10 points for Temple while Jeremy Scherr and John Weiner added the other digits and Josh Nelken handed out a bushel of assists.

St. Augustine's C, 16-11

St. Augustine's A snuck ahead 5-2 on efforts by Gene Doran, Toby Guzowski and Brian Landry. But Peter Cookson brought his team back with six quick points. Doran and Landry countered for a 9-8 A halftime edge.

The usually potent A offense was shut down in the third period. The C defense, led by Dan Hansberry and Shane McMaster would leak only once in the entire second half.

Meanwhile, the A team could not contain Cookson, who connected for six additional markers. A Charles Towne jumper capped off the C scoring.

Brian Landry provided 4 points for St. Augustine's A, Gene Doran wound up with 3 and John Costanza and Toby Guzowski contributed 2 each.

St. Augustine's B, 12-9

Balance and consistency have been the trademarks of the 3-0 St. Augustine's B unit this year. They needed both to gutout a 12-9 decision over a determined South lot.

The game seersawed early. Shawn McMaster of St. A's tallied four points in quarter one, but Samuel McLellan and Doug Batchelder responded with four of their own to lift South into a 4-4 tie.

Baskets by Andrew DeBenedictus and Sean Reilly propelled St. A's to an 8-6 halftime lead, the lone South bucket coming from Rob Wyatt.

St. A's rallied for four more third quarter points while holding South to a standstill. But South refused to throw in the towel. Another Wyatt lay-up and a Chris Fisher free throw narrowed the gap to 12-9, but time ran out on the comeback.

McMaster was high man for St. A's with six points. DeBenedictus, Reilly and Brian Croteau accounted for the balance. Todd Harris also played well.

Wyatt finished with 4 South points, while McLellan and Batchelder had 2 apiece. Chris Fisher sprung for the remaining integer.

St. Augustine's F, 6-4

Defense was the theme of this game, with St. Augustine's F prevailing for their first win of the year.

St. Robert's C did not hand the game to St. A's on a platter, however, as it took two late hoops to defeat them.

Following a scoreless first quarter, John Camillus of St. Robert's broke the ice by canning two free throws. Mike Morrow of St. A's deadlocked things with two and it remained tied until halftime.

A Camillus third-quarter basket put St. Robert's ahead 4-2, but Morrow and John Carroll hit a hoop apiece for the margin of victory. A swarming St. A's defense prevented any calamities.

St. Robert's B, 12-2

A talented St. Robert's B unit extended their winning streak to three with a convincing win over St. Augustine's E.

Ian Begg initiated things with a first-period basket. Teammate Damon Bellardo managed the half's only other score to give St. Robert's a 4-0 advantage.

Shana Lynch put St. A's on the board with a third-period basket, but St. A's could manage little else in the way of offense. Two more Begg tallies, a jump shot by Mike Famiglietti and a lay-up by Tim Foley rounded out the scoring.

Stephen and Scott Sheppard turned in stellar efforts for St. A's, as did Stephen Sylvanowicz.

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Andover Hockey Association

The Pee Wee A team competed in the Concord Invitational Holiday Tournament in Concord, N.H., during the holiday recess and, even though they didn't collect a win, Coach Mike Murnane's skaters demonstrated dramatic and continuing improvement. The goalies were particularly sharp, turning away 73 shots in the first two games of the three-game tourney.

Concord 4 - Andover 1

Netminder Mike Murnane was outstanding between the posts, holding Concord scoreless well into the second period. When Concord finally slipped one past the line, Ed Chaisson and Sean Darwin promptly combined for the tying goal. Concord poured it on in the third period and Brian Novelline turned away several difficult shots.

The penalty-killing unit of Gary Bleszinski, John Melillo, Scott Halecki and Chris Pothier did an excellent job. Defenseman Todd Allard was tenacious in keeping the opponents out of the slot, while Jim Morris cleaned out the corners. It was an overall team effort and only a hint of things to come.

Dover, N.H. 7 - Andover 6

Keith Cutler and Ed Chaisson led the offensive drive in this wild game. Chaisson was credited with all six Andover goals while Cutler contributed four assists and some ferocious forechecking. Darwin also picked up an assist. Peter Arthur's steady work created some scoring chances, only to be denied by the Dover goalie. Andover outshot Dover by a 2-1 margin.

An All-Tournament All Star team was announced at the conclusion of play on Saturday. Andover players selected for their outstanding play were goalie Mike Murnane, Ed Chaisson, Scott Halecki, John Melillo and Todd Allard.

Reading 3 - Andover 3

The Pee Wees picked up a point with a well-skated tie against second-place Reading 3-3.

The defense was outstanding, particularly Joe Iarrobino and Gary Bleszinski, who have just recently switched to the new position. Goalie Mike Murnane continued his exceptional play, with several key saves in the third period to preserve the tie. Brian Novelline was also sharp, making point blank stops in the first period to help build the Andover momentum.

After Reading scored in the first period, Colin Nix tied it up, popping in a rebound from the left side of the net. The score remained knotted thanks to the penalty killing efforts of Jim Morris, Sean Darwin, Peter Arthur and Bleszinski. Reading went ahead early in the second period with a power play goal, but Andover evened the score again when Darwin netted a John Melillo rebound.

Reading scored its third goal midway through the third period, but Ed Chaisson, who continues to outscore, outskate and outhustle most opponents, again tied the score two minutes later, finishing nice passing from Darwin and Todd

Allard. Old-fashioned backchecking by Scott Halecki and Keith Cutler and go-for-broke defensive play by Chris Pothier helped to assure the tie.

Revere 4 - Andover 1

The Pee Wees traveled to Danvers on Sunday to play Revere in a highly competitive Division I and lost 4-1. The score was deceiving in that Andover dominated the game and outshot Revere.

The first two periods were scoreless, as the strong Andover defense and sharp Revere goalie controlled the tempo of the game. Arthur had a breakaway topped, while Darwin, Allard and Morris killed a five-on-three Revere advantage. Murnane was impressive, keeping key Revere shots out of the net.

All the scoring came in the third period. Revere scored back-to-back goals before Chaisson made it 2-1 with help from Cutler. Halecki also helped to put the goal on the board. The highlight of the period was a fantastic two-on-one save by Novelline. A Revere player stole the puck, and with a man trailing, rushed the net. Novelline forced the shot wide and made the save. Melillo and Nix had numerous scoring chances turned away while Pothier, Iarrobino and Bleszinski were strong on defense.

Squirt A

Andover 10 - Haverhill 2

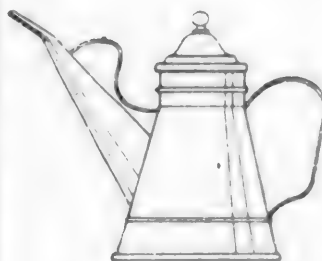
Centermen Steve Neal and Ryan Moynihan helped Andover blow Haverhill away as they combined for seven of the team's ten goals.

Haverhill managed to tie the game at 1-1 early in the opening period, but after that it was all Andover as they outshot their opponents 45-12. Also contributing to the goal scoring was Todd Norton, Bobby Daley and Andy Novelline. Dan-

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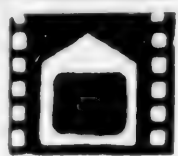
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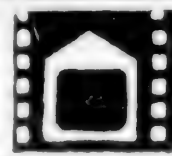
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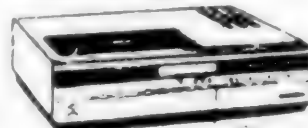
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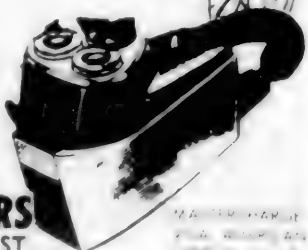
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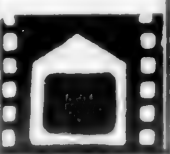
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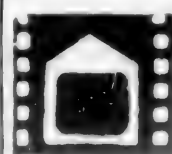
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Hockey

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ny Trede had three assists and Justin Hesenius had two. The team members recorded 24 points in the contest.

Andover 11 - Reading 1

Andover recorded its seventh straight victory as it rolled over Reading while holding its opponent to only five shots on goal for the entire game. The team has been averaging almost nine goals a game while giving up less than three during the current winning streak.

What can't be overlooked in this game was the first career hat trick of Todd Norton and the first career goal of defenseman Paul Allard who has been playing great hockey for the past few games.

Because of its strong play lately, the team has moved up fast in the standings and is within a few points of the leaders in both leagues.

First Solo

Marine 2nd Lt. Peter T. Nicholson, a 1979 graduate of Brooks School of North Andover, has completed his first solo flight.

Nicholson is undergoing primary flight training with Training Squadron 27, Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, TX. His 14-week basic course, which included 65 inflight training hours, was the initial step of the Naval Integrated Flight Training System. His follow-on training with jets, helicopters or multi-engine aircraft will lead to

designation as a naval aviator.

He is also a 1983 graduate of the University of Washington, Seattle, with a Bachelor of Arts degree. Nicholson joined the Marine Corps in June, 1984.

Sports Expo

If there are two things dear to the heart of the fisherman, the first has to be actually going fishing — and a close second, so close it's hard to tell from first place, is looking at and choosing new fishing equipment.

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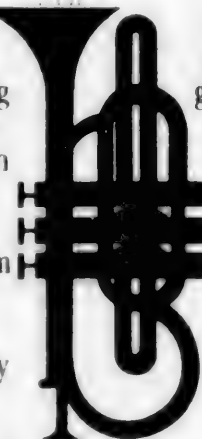
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Election

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He aspires to be chairman of the Board of Selectman in a year or so, Dalton said, adding that he sees the next few years as time to implement much of what the town has created in the last few years. Dalton was Town Moderator from 1973 to 1978, and also headed up a committee to improve town government, before becoming moderator. For two seats on the School Committee the candidate to date is:

• **David Birnbach**, 24, 2 Bellevue Road, is campaigning for a seat on the School Committee. A computer applications engineer for Digital Equipment Corp., Birnbach is a product of the town's public school system and was a part-time mathematics teacher here in 1982.

Calling clear writing, speaking and logical thinking important for children now in the town's schools, Birnbach said "the children entering kindergarten in two years will be graduating high school in the year 2000. Will they be prepared? There are important issues confronting education and I believe I have the enthusiasm, background and tools to contribute actively to the educational process in Andover."

The candidate for Town Moderator is:

• **James D. Doherty**, 69, 9 Juniper Road, is running for the Town Moderator post he now holds. A one-year position, Doherty said he wasn't sure how long he had held the moderator's post. A check with former Town Moderator William J. Dalton indicated Doherty began serving as Moderator after Dalton left the post in 1978, making his bid for the job his try at a seventh term. An insurance and real estate broker with his own company, Doherty said he wants the moderator's job because he likes the town's system.

"It's a job to be done and I've done it before," said Doherty. "If the townspeople want me there I'll serve them as long as they want me to do the job."

Running for Andover's seat on the Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational School board is:

• **Gerald Grasso**, 51, 61 Arthur Road, hopes to integrate classes at Andover High School, where he teaches biology, with class offerings at the Vocational School. Grasso said he would like to see more use of the River Road school by Andover high schoolers and thinks he can work out some type of exchange program.

Grasso ran unsuccessfully for the 17th Essex seat in the state House of Representatives in 1982.

Running to finish an unexpired term on the Housing Authority is:

• **Ronald Hajj**, 40, 22 Enmore St., a hoisting engineer for Crane Rental, Hajj said he still considers himself "a new-timer" on the Housing Authority and wants to remain on the board because, as he said, he has a lot more to learn.

Business Expo

Hartly Enterprises of Manchester, N.H. has recently announced it's plans for the Second Annual 1985 New Hampshire Spring Business Exposition to be held at the Center of New Hampshire Convention Center on Wednesday and Thursday, April 3 and 4, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., both days.

Crewmember

Navy Lt. J.G. Terrence Ronan, son of William A. and Evelyn M. Ronan, 273 Osgood St., North Andover, was recently deployed to the Indian Ocean.

Ronan is crewmember aboard guided missile destroyer USS John King.

King is 437 feet long and has a crew of 345.

A 1977 graduate of Brooks School, and a 1981 graduate of Bates College, Lewiston, ME, with a Bachelor of Science degree, Ronan joined the Navy in October 1981.

Rescue

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afternoon, the men talked of their experience, saying they don't remember thinking about how much danger they were in when on the ice. They all agreed, after taking time to go over the afternoon's events, that they were scared.

"But you don't think about it when it happens," Oullette said.

They were full of praise for each other, telling of how they worked together to save DeGregorio. Lynch said an employee of Barron's Country Store was on the scene when they arrived, trying to reach DeGregorio. When THE TOWNSMAN called the store a man identifying himself as Mark Ardizzone, of Salem, N.H., said he helped out at the pond but didn't want to talk about the incident.

The water rescue isn't a first for officer Cronin who, last October, jumped into the Merrimack River to save a drowning man. But Cronin wasn't taking credit on Monday. He said Lynch, in charge at the scene, should be commended for his assertive commands and control at the pond. Lynch, meanwhile said he would recommend to Chief James Johnson that Winters and Cronin be honored for their efforts.

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PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Chapter 40 G.L. Section 5, notice is hereby given that the Andover Planning Board will hold a **Public Hearing** Tuesday, January 29, 1985 at 8:00 P.M. in the third floor conference room of the Town Hall, Bartlet Street, to consider the following amendment to the Zoning bylaw:

ARTICLE

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning bylaw by striking out Section VI.A. in its entirety and substituting therefore the following:

SECTION VI. OTHER REQUIREMENTS

A. Parking

1. Objectives

The objectives of this Section of the bylaw are as follows:

- Promote traffic safety by assuring adequate places for storing of motor vehicles off the street, and for their orderly access and egress to and from the public street;
- Increase the traffic-carrying capacity of streets and highways in the town and obtain a more efficient utilization of on-street curbside parking;
- Reduce hazards to pedestrians upon public sidewalks;
- Protect adjoining lots and the general public from nuisances and hazards such as: 1) noise, glare of headlights, dust and fumes, resulting from the operation of motor vehicles; 2) glare and heat from parking lots; 3) a lack of visual relief from expanses of paving; 4) accelerated run-off of surface water from land covered by impervious materials.

2. Applicability

No building permit or certificate of occupancy shall be issued for the erection of a new building, the enlargement of an existing building, the redevelopment of an existing building, the development of a use not located in a building, or the change from one type of use to another, unless off-street parking is provided in accordance with this Section of the Bylaw.

3. Parking Space Standards

Each parking space shall measure at least nine (9) feet wide and eighteen (18) feet deep, which shall be in addition to areas required for driveways, loading, walks and circulation.

All required parking spaces (except those for single-family homes) shall be marked to provide a delineation between parking stalls and aisles.

4. Table of Off-Street Parking Requirements

Where a use is not specifically included in the schedule below, it is intended that the regulations for the most nearby comparable use, as specified by the Building Inspector, shall apply.

a. Banking Establishments	Calculate lobby/banking area as per Section VI.A.4.j below Calculate office/operations area as per Section VI.A.4.b below
b. Business, professional or administrative offices	One (1) space for each three hundred (300) square feet gross floor area
c. Gasoline service station or automotive repair garage	One (1) space for each employee on principal work shift plus four (4) spaces for each service bay or three hundred (300) square feet of interior service area.
d. Hotel or Motel	One (1) space for each sleeping unit in addition to those required for a restaurant, if any, as covered in Section VI.A.4.i. Plus, one (1) space per eight (8) sleeping units.
e. Lab, Manufacturing	One (1) space per three hundred (300) square feet useable floor area.
f. Medical or health center or office	In the Office Park district, one (1) space for each two hundred (200) square feet of useable floor area and four (4) spaces for each doctor or dentist. In other districts, three (3) spaces per treatment area.
g. Places of assembly, including conference facilities, indoor athletics or recreation, or amuse-	One (1) space for each three (3) conference facilities, indoor athletic seats, and/or for each sixty (60)

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area, or, where no fixed seats are used, one (1) space for each four (4) persons maximum occupancy, based on Table 606 of the Massachusetts State Building Code, "Maximum Floor Area Allowances Per Occupant."

h. Residential

For each studio or one (1) bedroom dwelling unit, one (1) space. For each two (2) or more bedroom dwelling unit, two (2) spaces.

i. Restaurant or similar establishment

One (1) space for each two (2) seats and one and a half (1.5) spaces for each two (2) employees.

j. Retail, personal or consumer service establishment

In the Shopping Center district, at least three (3) spaces for each two hundred (200) square feet of gross floor area or fraction thereof. In other districts, one (1) space for each two hundred and fifty (250) square feet of gross floor area.

k. Trade, professional or other school conducted as a gainful business

One (1) space for each four (4) persons maximum occupancy, based on Table 606 of the Massachusetts State Building Code, "Maximum Floor Area Allowances per Occupant."

l. Wholesale, storage, warehousing or similar service uses

One (1) space for each six hundred (600) square feet of useable floor area.

m. Miscellaneous Uses

Determined by the Building Inspector, prior to the issuance of a Building Permit, on advice of the Planning Board.

5. Apartment Districts

- Required spaces shall be located either in an off-street paved area or in a garage or carport.
- Said spaces shall be located within two hundred (200) feet from the outside entrance to the dwelling unit being served.
- Said spaces located in a driveway providing access to more than one dwelling unit shall not reduce the effective width of the driveway to less than twelve (12) feet.
- Any way or driveway providing principal access to six (6) or more dwelling units or eight (8) or more parking spaces shall conform to applicable provisions of the Planning Board regulations for minor residential ways. Before granting a Special Permit the Board of Appeals shall request a report from the Planning Board on the extent of such conformity.

6. General Business District

- Provision of Parking**
In the General Business district, off-street parking shall be provided as specified in Section VI.A.4 of this bylaw (Table of Off-Street Parking Requirements).
- Location of Parking Spaces**
The required number of off-street spaces shall be provided on the same lot as the use or uses in question unless the Planning Board grants a Special Permit to allow off-street parking under Section VI.A.6.h. of this Bylaw.
- Multiple Uses Sharing a Common Parking Lot**
Required parking spaces may be provided for two or more uses on a common lot if the total space available is not less than the sum of the spaces required for each use individually. The required number of spaces on a common lot may be reduced by a Special Permit under Section VI.A.6.h. if it can be shown that the parking needs for the uses are such that a lower total will serve all uses adequately.
- Reduction of Existing Parking Through Expansion**
Where buildings are expanded, no parking facilities on land owned by the user shall be reduced so that the number of parking spaces is less than seventy-five (75) percent of that number required for the original structure.
- Non-Conforming Buildings & Uses**
The following re-existing, non-conforming buildings and uses need not meet current requirements of this Section of the Zoning bylaw but shall continue to meet the requirements of the bylaw in effect when the building or use was first lawfully begun:
 - Buildings and uses which were lawfully in existence at the time of the adoption of this bylaw or any amendment thereto;
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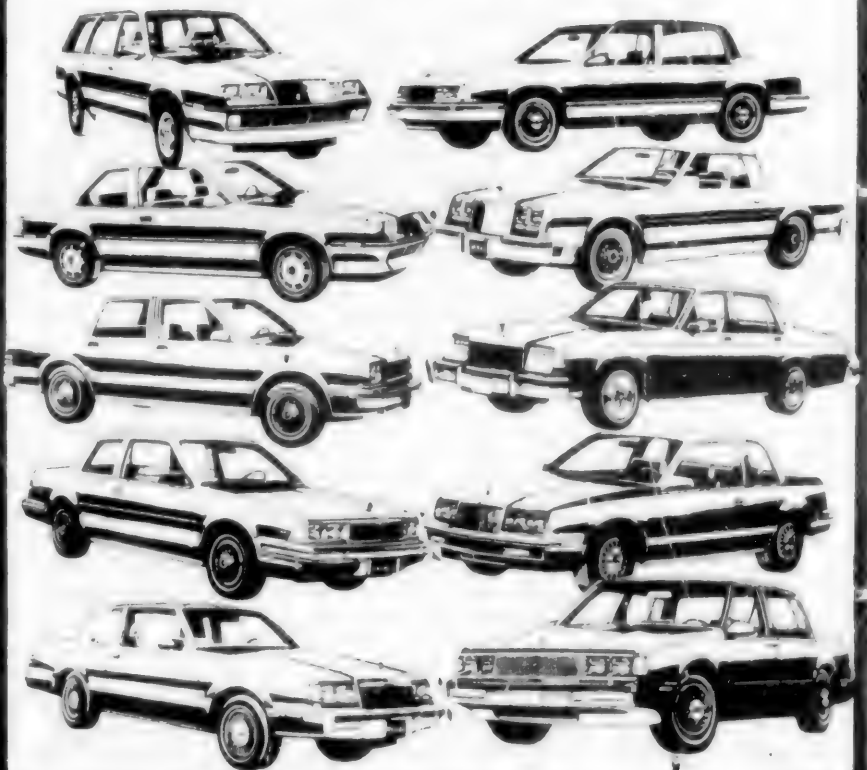
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Budget

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"We're looking at revenues and where we can increase them, and we're looking at where we can cut on the town side — what things we can give up, whether we can defer some programs for a year," Torrisi said.

"We're looking at it very closely — we do know there's going to have to be pruning."

The final product, he said, will be "a balanced budget." Officials are aiming for a budget that will support "the status quo, with some expansion in public safety (with the hiring of additional personnel)," the director explained. "We don't want any layoffs."

Torrisi would not discuss specific numbers at this preliminary stage in the budget-planning process.

Monday night, Town Manager Mahony told the Board of Selectmen that he hoped to know by the end of this week how much state aid Andover can expect to receive for the new fiscal year.

The current fiscal 1985 budget includes a total operating budget of nearly \$26 million, with an operating budget of \$11.063 million on the town side and \$14.665 million on the school side.

That fiscal '85 budget represented a 9.3 percent increase over the previous year's operating budget for both the town and schools.

The town's "bucket committee" has met twice (once in November and once in December) with Mahony, School Superintendent Kenneth Seifert and Torrisi to review preliminary budget figures. They will meet again this month before the manager's budget is released, Torrisi said.

Made up of Chairman Donn Byrne and Charles Wesson representing the Board of Selectmen, Chairman Edward Kulcsar and Ruth Dunbar from the Finance Committee, and Chairman Donn Robb and Michael Giammusso from the School Committee, the bucket committee is a "working group" charged with understanding "the kind of budget year we're getting into," the director said.

The committee "shares information" on the financial facts of life in Andover, as well as town, school and FinComm ambitions for the coming fiscal year. Members may return to their respective groups with recommendations on budget priorities for fiscal 1986, Torrisi indicated.

Rink

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thought that Cross Street site was a better site than it is, until we started looking at it."

The manager added, "We're far from sure the offer will be completely extended to the town." Neither the Ristuccias nor the town have made a "commitment" to building the recreation center, he explained, and either side may yet withdraw from the discussions.

"I still don't think it's going to go in Andover," Mahony said late in the meeting.

Byrne said the selectmen will discuss the recreation center article again, along with other town-sponsored warrant articles, during their March 18 meeting.

"Until then, the town manager will continue negotiations" with the Ristuccias, the chairman said — promising that "on March 18, everyone will know what we know."

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A public hearing for the purpose of an AMENDMENT to the Order of Conditions issued 15 May 1984 on the project known as JENKINS ESTATES will be heard in the second floor Conference Room, Bartlett Street, THURSDAY, 17 January 1985, COMMENCING at 8:00 p.m. The purpose of this hearing is to determine plan approval for the laying of a water line across conservation land to serve the above project. Plans for the project may be seen in the Conservation Office, Bartlett Street.

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Dr. O'Reilly

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down the road toward his honorary status. Today, ambulances are staffed by Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) trained to begin treating injuries at the scene of an accident or disaster.

Yet "long before the development of the EMT program — and because I have had a scanner since ever I remember — whenever there was a bad accident, I would always respond with the police department and the fire department. And I still do, if there's a bad catastrophe. It was purely voluntary.

"I realized that a lot could be done at the scene of an accident to stabilize a victim that could have a great effect on the outcome," the doctor says. "That has evolved now into the EMT and paramedic programs." (Dr. O'Reilly has been an EMT instructor at Lawrence General Hospital and has offered an advanced first aid course to Andover police as well, at their request.)

He was at the scene during a Christmastime house fire in 1970, for instance, and, more recently, when a canoeist drowned in the Shawsheen River. The doctor was on hand quickly last spring when a bus crashed into a North Main Street home. He remains on the scene as long as he's needed, and he'll ride along in the ambulance, too, "if they need an extra hand."

Last month the nursing staff at Lawrence General "completely surprised" the doctor with a party in honor of his 25th anniversary (they buffaloed him by disguising it as their annual Christmas party).

A commemorative drawing crayoned by a talented little one (the child of an LGH nurse), now framed and hanging prominently near the piano, depicts Dr. O'Reilly and his many interests: He's

shown banging out Irish songs on the piano, with his medical bag sandwiched between a firefighter's helmet and a police officer's hat.

At 57, Dr. O'Reilly has no plans to retire in "the foreseeable future. I enjoy what I'm doing. I can sum it up in three words — I love life."

He came to Andover with every intention of staying in this town, and he says

he is still "delighted that I made that choice. I've enjoyed the Andover community very much. I've actively participated in a number of things and I've been very happy to do so."

"I've tried to pass that thought onto my own children," Dr. Bill O'Reilly concludes. "Be a part of your community — don't sit back. Be a part of it."

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Graduation

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will probably be given to the committee from Seifert. Loomis said.

Seifert opened Tuesday's discussion by saying he didn't think people were "all that satisfied" with graduation. Later, he told THE TOWNSMAN he was disappointed with the lack of common courtesy and respect given those honored at past graduations.

"I think there's a tone that should be held in town," Seifert told the seniors. "it's a fun time but it should be a polite time. The time is right to look forward to having a great 1985 graduation."

Some American Indians used to believe that an eclipse meant the sun was being extinguished, so they tried to rekindle it by shooting fire-arrows into the sky.

Senior class president Jeffrey Kennedy told the committee that a senior class vote yielded five top choices for graduation speakers. They are, he said, in order of votes received, comedian Bill Cosby, actor Bill Murray, actor Mr. T, Boston College football star Doug Flutie and

horror story author Stephen King. Also big vote getters were Channel 4 sportscaster Bob Lobel and comedian Jay Leno, who is from Andover. Kennedy said class members had connections with Flutie and with Lobel, who along with Leno have addressed graduating

Andover High classes before.

But Stephen Richardson, acting principal at the high school, told the committee it was hard to sign on a graduation speaker because the date of graduation isn't known until the winter has passed and it can be determined whether snow day must be made up.

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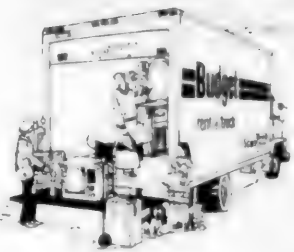
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Siting the most recent Census of Agriculture data, the report states that Massachusetts agriculture has

reversed a 30-year decline and has gained 1,000 farms and 10,000 acres of harvested cropland in the last decade.

"Throughout the 1950s and '60s rapid urbanization successfully competed with agriculture for both land and labor," according to the report. High taxes, high prices offered for land and the lure of better jobs took farmers off the land. The

economic recession of the 1970's slowed development and took some of the pressure off open farmland.

But now boom times are back. Will agriculture continue to grow with the rest of Massachusetts' economy or

will it be forced to compete with industry for its remaining land base?

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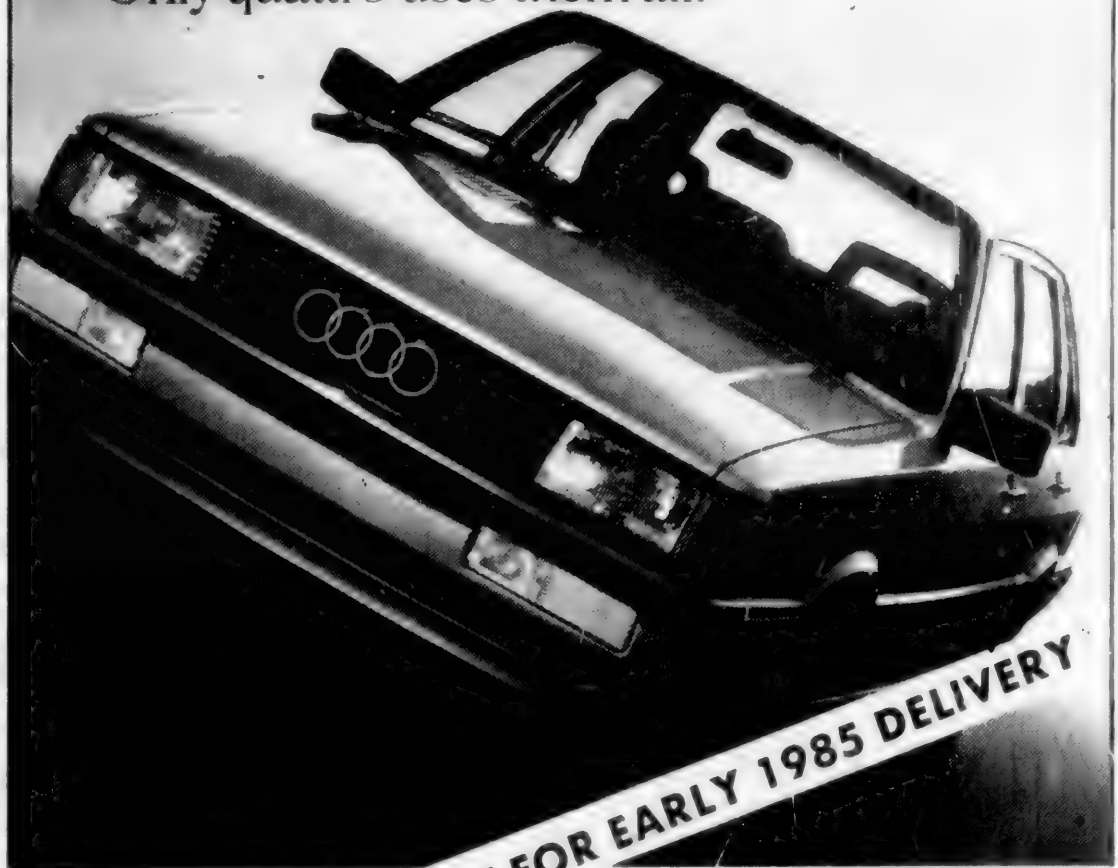
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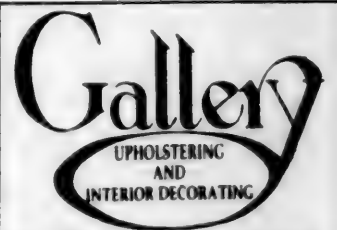
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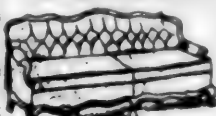
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g. Replacement After Catastrophe

The following parking requirements shall apply to a building or structure which has been damaged by fire, explosion or other catastrophe:

- (1) If a building or structure which did not conform with Section VI.A.4 of the Zoning bylaw is rebuilt not to exceed its pre-catastrophe size and if no change in use occurs, continuance of that non-conformance will be allowed;
 - (2) Any change in use shall require the building or structure to conform with Section VI.A.4 of the zoning bylaw;
 - (3) If a building or structure is rebuilt to exceed its pre-catastrophe size, the additional number of parking spaces which would be required for the excess floor area must be provided.
- h. Reduction or change of Location of Spaces Required
The number of spaces required for use or uses may be reduced or their location changed in accordance with the following provisions:
- (1) If the computed requirement for nonresidential uses in a Business District is six (6) or less, then no parking spaces shall be required.
 - (2) The Planning Board, by Special Permit, may allow remote parking lots, shared parking lots, or any enforceable alternatives which it deems reasonable, based on the following criteria:
 - (a) The capacity, location and current level of use of existing parking facilities;
 - (b) The efficient & maximum use of the General Business District;
 - (c) The relief of traffic and parking congestion;
 - (d) The safety of pedestrians;
 - (e) The provision of reasonable access either by walking distance or shuttle vehicle arrangements;
 - (f) The maintenance of the character of the area.

i. Design Standards

- (1) Along a property line adjacent to a residential use, non-residential park-

ing areas shall be suitably screened with a wall, fence or evergreen hedge, or a combination of these, at least five feet high.

- (2) Where alternative access locations are feasible, parking lot driveways shall not provide access onto Main Street unless granted a Special Permit by the Planning Board upon its determination that such access onto Main Street is dictated by consideration of safety, congestion or conflict with other premises.

- (3) No parking area shall be located off street in front of any principal building facing Main Street, Barnard St., Central Street, Park Street west of Bartlet, Post Office Avenue, or Elm Street, unless granted a Special Permit by the Planning Board upon its determination that such placement is dictated by location of existing buildings or other peculiarities of the site.

7. Industrial Districts

a. Intent and Application

- (1) Adequate off-street parking must be provided on the premises to service all parking demand created by new construction, whether through new structures or through additions to existing ones, or by change of use creating higher parking demands;
- (2) Buildings, structures and land uses in existence on the effective date of these provisions are not subject to these parking requirements and may be rebuilt, altered or repaired, but not enlarged or changed in use, without becoming subject to them;
- (3) In applying for building or occupancy permits, the applicant must demonstrate that the minimum parking requirements set forth below will be met for the new demand without counting existing parking;
- (4) These requirements may be reduced on Special Permit for an exception from the Planning Board upon their determination that special circumstances render a lesser provision adequate for all parking needs.

b. Driveways and Entranceways

Only one driveway or entranceway shall be permitted in any one hundred fifty (150) feet of frontage unless the frontage is less, in which case, a single driveway access to the property will be permitted.

c. Parking Lot Design

The following standards shall apply in the Industrial D zone and may apply in Industrial A and Industrial G upon the decision of the Building Inspector. The Building Inspector may, upon advice of the Planning Board, determine that alternative provisions provide comparable control of traffic flow, micro-climate and visual intrusion.

- (1) Each parking area shall contain no more than two hundred forty (240) parking spaces;

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Docket No. 84P2941-A1

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A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Catherine R. Merrill of Andover in the County of Essex be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of January 1985, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Albert P. Petto-ruto, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of December 1984.

JOHN F. BURKE, Register
January 10, 1985

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- (2) Each parking area shall be enclosed (except for access points) by a landscaped buffer not less than twelve (12) feet wide, planted with shade trees;
- (3) Each parking area shall have interior landscaping areas, primarily planted with trees, equivalent in size to five percent of that parking area's total pavement area;
- (4) There shall be no more than thirty (30) spaces in any uninterrupted row;
- (5) Up to 25% of the required spaces may be designated for compact cars and shall measure at least fifteen (15) feet deep and seven and a half (7.5) feet wide, which shall be in addition to areas required for driveways, loading, walks and circulation. Such spaces shall be suitably and conspicuously signed.

d. Loading

Adequate off-street loading facilities and space must be provided in side or rear yards only, to service all needs created by new construction, whether through new structures or additions to old ones, and by change of use of existing structures. Facilities shall be so sized and arranged that no trucks need back onto or off of a public way or internal access road, or be parked on a public way or internal access road, while loading, unloading, or waiting to do so.

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 WETLANDS
 PROTECTION ACT**
 as amended

Chapter 131, Section 40

A continued public hearing will be held in the second floor Conference Room, Town Office, Bartlett Street, Andover on THURSDAY, 17 January 1985, COMMENCING at 8:15 p.m. on the Notice of Intent filed by Timothy D. Sullivan, 14 Apache Way, Tewksbury, MA 01876 and Sebastian P. Ferrante of Dana F. Perkins & Associates, Inc., 43 Lakeview Avenue, Lowell, MA 01850 on behalf of Charles and Avedis A. Vartabedian, 64 Bellevue Road, Andover to fill, dredge or alter land which falls within the jurisdiction of the above statute being land located on Belle-

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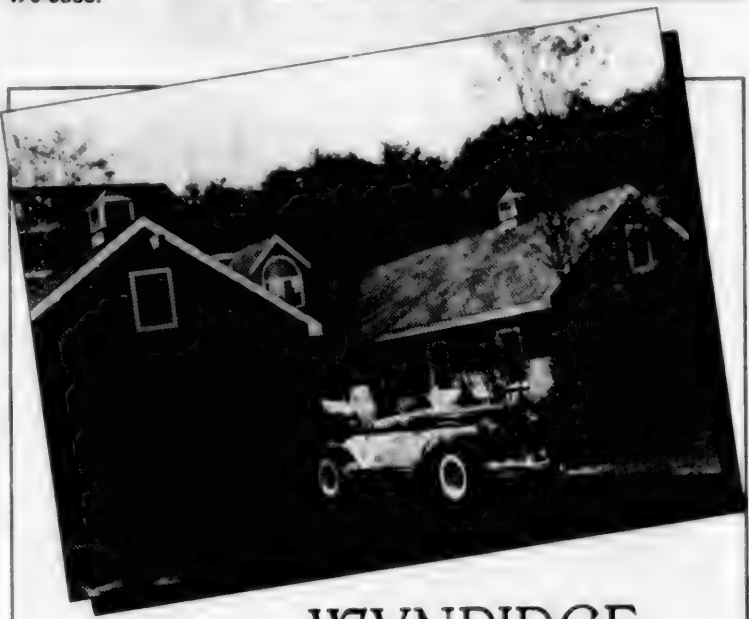
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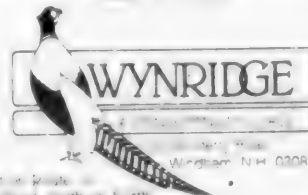
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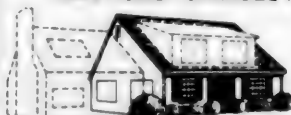
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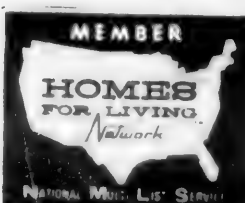


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Down The Years

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School Board consideration. Chairman William Hart told the Townsman that the Committee will forcefully renew its request for a basic salary schedule of \$4,300 to \$6,700. And the Association also again has voted against merit raises. Rather, teachers stated, the money should be appropriated among the teachers equitably.

Mrs. Bertha K. Folley, 75 Essex St., will be honored at a reception and banquet Jan. 23 at the Andover Country Club, saluting her for 23 years of service to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary. Mrs. Folley is state president of the Ladies Auxiliary, having been elected at the state convention last June in Northampton.

10 Years Ago — January 1975

It is often difficult to tell what will command the interest of voters at annual town meetings, but a sure drawing card when it appears on the agenda is concern about the restraint of dogs. This year among the over 50 articles submitted by Friday afternoon for Andover's annual town meeting, are four items, all dealing with the town's canine population, two of which, if approved, would result in further restraint on roaming dogs.

Town Manager J. Maynard Austin does not recommend transfer of the town hall offices to the Sacred Heart School property in Shawsheen. In a communication which the Selectmen will consider at a later meeting, the manager feels the

present municipal office building fulfills the needs of the general government operations, but further feels that his recommendation does not mean that the town should not seriously consider acquiring the Sacred Heart property for school and recreation needs.

The pace of Andover politics continues

to be slow this week, with one withdrawal from the selectmen's race and one additional candidate for the three-year term on the School Committee obtaining nomination papers, as of Wednesday. Elaine Viehmann, 35 Lucerne Drive, signified her intent to be a candidate for the three year school board term, joining

Gary C. Townsend, who had taken out papers from Town Clerk Elden R. Salter. For the three year term on the board of selectmen George W. Connors, Jr., 99 North Main St., obtained nomination papers while previously announced candidate, Kenneth G. Barnhill, 28 Wolcott Ave., announced his withdrawal.

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